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Weather Forecast

Victoria and Vicinity—Saturday: Light winds tonight and Saturday, clear, moderately warm. Thursday's Temperatures—Min. 46; Max. 61. Sunshine: 13 hours 42 minutes. Temperature noon Friday, 56

LATEST

Ask Restoration Of Milk Subsidy

REGINA (CP)—A resolution urging the federal government to reconsider the decision to remove the consumer subsidy on fluid milk June 1 and to maintain the present ceiling price, was filed here today by Ald. A. C. Ellison and will be discussed at the next meeting of the City Council May 21.

Cuba Nips Revolt

HAVANA, Cuba (AP)—Maj.-Gen. Genovevo Perez, chief of the Cuban army, said this afternoon a small "revolutionary movement, headed by an army group with civilian connections," was frustrated in an attempt to seize army headquarters at Camp Columbia early today.

He said authorities learned recently that the revolutionaries intended to seize the camp by displacing or killing key officers residing at the base.

Hijackers Hunted

MONTREAL (CP)—A gang of hijackers which has been looting railway company trucks in Montreal for the past year and recently switched operations to the surrounding countryside was believed broken today by provincial police, who announced they were holding seven men for questioning and had recovered merchandise worth about $3,000.

Redin Trial June 25

SEATTLE (AP)—U.S. District Judge Lloyd Black today dismissed one espionage count, because of its technical phrasing, and set June 25 for trial of three espionage counts and one conspiracy count returned by a grand jury against Nicolai G. Redin, 29-year-old Russian naval lieutenant formerly stationed here.

Foundrymen Strike

VANCOUVER (CP)—Striking workers in British Columbia increased today as 500 foundry employees walked out in Vancouver demanding increased wages and a 40-hour week.

John Frame, chairman of the Foundry Union strike committee, said there had been no "real" negotiations since Wednesday night and that employers had refused to meet representatives of the Metal and Chemical Workers' Union (C.C.L.) He said conciliation efforts had failed.

Kidnapped Man 'Doesn't Remember'

CHICAGO (AP) — Detectives said today that Edward P. Jones, wealthy negro and purported boss of "policy" gambling in Chicago, had been released by the abductors who kidnapped him last Saturday.

They said the 50-year-old negro was "safe and sound," but did not say whether a ransom had been paid.

Later Jones appeared at the Central Police Station and said he did not know any of the abductors or where he had been held for the last five days, and said he "did not remember" if the kidnappers had demanded ransom.

Jones disclosed that during the time he was held by the abductors he was forced to lie on a bed and was under constant guard.

B.C. Milk Price Increases June 1

The price of milk in B.C. will increase two cents a quart on June 1, it was announced today by members of the Victoria Pasteurized Milk Distributors' Association and Vancouver Island Dairymen's Association.

Milk now selling at 11 and 13 cents a quart in Victoria will rise in price to 13 and 15 cents a quart owing to the fact consumers are now asked to absorb the two cents previously paid by the Dominion government.

This price was set as a ceiling some time ago, but had been held to 11 and 13 cents a quart by the Dominion grant.

This announcement followed on the statement by Agriculture Minister Gardiner in Ottawa Thursday that control of prices would revert to the provincial milk boards.

As B.C. is without a milk board, distributors say they will automatically put Prices Board ceilings into effect.

However, the distributors point out, there is no actual increase in the price of milk, but on June 1 all milk consumers will be asked to pay that part of the price of every quart which was originally paid by the government grant.

Truman Orders Railways Seized; Strike Still On

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman signed an executive order this afternoon taking over the railroads of the U.S. in an effort to prevent a strike set for 4 p.m. tomorrow.

Minutes earlier, union leaders had said they would not ask their men to stay on the job if the government did seize the roads.

Asked whether the strike would go on as scheduled, President Alvanley oJhnson of the trainmen's brotherhood told reporters: "Yes, sir."

President Truman in a statement, called upon the railroad workers to co-operate and remain on the job.

Presidential Secretary Charles G. Ross said that the Office of Defence Transportation would operate the carriers.

The President said:

"In the strike situation thus confronting us governmental seizure is imperative for the protection of the rights of our citizens."

Mr. Truman said, however, he had asked the parties at odds to keep negotiations going with a view to obtaining an agreement which would permit return of the railroads to private ownership at the earliest possible moment.

The seizure is effective today.

A strike would involve 250,000 engineers and trainmen.

Britain, U.S. Make Pact On Food Crisis

WASHINGTON (AP) — Herbert Morrison, British Lord President of the Council, announced today an Anglo-American agreement has been reached with reference to the world food crisis.

A joint communique, giving details, was expected later in the day.

Mr. Morrison came here to consult President Truman and other U.S. officials on famine conditions and remedies. Following a call on Mr. Truman this morning, the British official said his mission had ended.

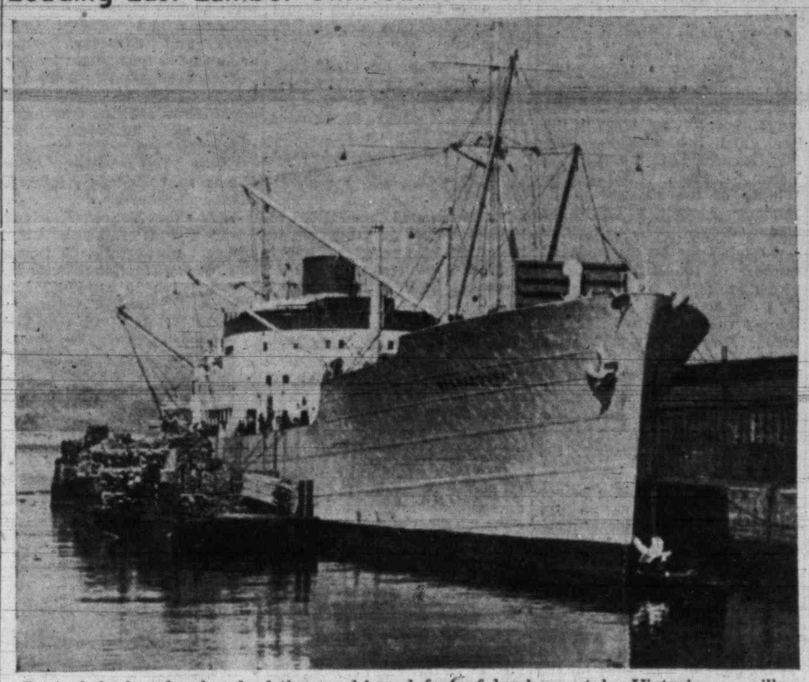
OTTAWA (CP) — Herbert Morrison, British spokesman, has completed food talks in Washington and will come to Ottawa tomorrow by air, it was learned

'Blue Baby' Condition Reported Improving

Reports on the condition of Janet, Victoria's "Blue Baby," following her delicate heart operation Wednesday, indicate she is making good progress, according to her grandfather after he had spoken with Janet's father last night over the telephone from Baltimore.

The conversation revealed that Janet's parents were allowed to see her yesterday and that "she recognized us." The "Blue Baby" had a temperature yesterday but X-rays were taken and showed her chest was in good condition.

Loading Last Lumber Until Strike Ends



Part of the last few hundred thousand board feet of lumber cut by Victoria sawmills before the strike of the I.W.A, closed them down is being loaded into Ms. Barranduna at the Canadian National Railways docks here. This vessel may be the last to load lumber in Victoria until the strike is over as only two other scow-loads of lumber which has not been declared "hot" by the strikers, remain at sawmills.

Albania's Russian-Sponsored Bid For U.N. Membership Delayed By U.S.

NEW YORK (AP)—The United Nations' Security Council today adopted unanimously a United States resolution which in effect delays immediate consideration of Albania's request for admission to the United Nations.

The council then adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman.

The resolution offered May 10 by Edward R. Stettinius, U.S. delegate, provides that all applications for United Nations membership submitted not later than July 15 shall be considered by the Council in August.

Albania's application is the only one on file.

GROMYKO VOTES

Andrei A. Gromyko, Soviet delegate, called the Stettinius proposal "useless" in view of the new rules on admission adopted today by the Council, but went along with the other delegates when the vote was taken.

Poland's delegate, Dr. Oscar Lange, voted for the resolution after remarking he desired to make sure it "is not an attempt to postpone" consideration of Albania's application.

Mr. Stettinius said the United States would do everything in its power to see that every applicant was given the fullest consideration.

Albania is sponsored by Yugoslavia, not a member of the Security Council, and is supported by Russia and Poland. Britain has opposed the Albanian application, but the British delegate did not speak on the point today.

The resolution provides applications received up to July 15 will be turned over to a Council subcommittee for a report and then considered by the Council "at a meeting or meetings to be held in August, 1946, for this specific purpose."

NEW CHAIRMAN

Taking office as president of the Council today was "Monsieur X," late of the French underground. He is Alexander Parodi, 44-year-old Parisian.

He took his seat at the crescent-shaped Council table today for the first time as France's permanent delegate, replacing Henri Bonnet, French ambassador to the United States, who served temporarily. As President of the Council he succeeds Dr. Hafez Afifi Pasha of Egypt.

It is a Council rule that each delegate shall serve one month as chairman in the English alphabetical order of the countries on the Council. Mexico will take over June 17.

M. Parodi attained fame among the French as one of the top resistance leaders.

In 1944, he was named Gen. de Gaulle's representative of the government inside France. He heard the French radio in Algiers announce the appointment of "M. X" and a few days later word arrived through the underground that "M. X" was Parodi.

Known as "Kartus" and "Cerat" in those days, M. Parodi raised more than £60,000 monthly for the underground, particularly for its newspapers.

Stolen Car Back In 6 Minutes

City police believe they set a speed record today in returning a stolen car to its owner.

A California visitor, R. E. Crossman, registered at the Empress Hotel, reported at 10.15 this morning his car had been stolen from a driveway of the hotel.

Taking a description of the car and its license number in routine manner, police informed the tourist they would make every effort to locate and return the missing automobile to him.

Detective P. W. Richards was just leaving the police station on official duties when the call came in, and he jotted down the particulars.

On walking up Fisgard Street outside the station he saw the stolen car parked at the curb, investigated and found the ignition wires had been crossed allowing anyone to start the engine.

He got in, drove the car to the Empress Hotel, and Mr. Crossman had it back in his possession within six minutes of the time he phoned the police.

I.W.A. To Picket Victoria Users Of 'Hot' Lumber

Builders using "hot" lumber removed from retail lumber yards today through striking woodworkers' picket lines will themselves be picketed, I.W.A. officers here announced today.

This is the final move of the woodworkers to halt the distribution of lumber in Victoria.

At 8 this morning the striking woodworkers threw picket lines around three unorganized retail lumber yards. One of the firms, Victoria Retail Lumber Yard, 1901 Government Street, agreed not to move lumber from its yard through the picket line.

The other two yards, Stewart & Hudson Lumber Yard, 405 Gorge Road, and Sidney Lumber, 2116 Government Street, continued to move lumber out today through picket lines.

E. P. Hudson of Stewart & Hudson said the lumber in his yard had been sold and paid for previous to the strike and the firm had contracted to deliver it.

About 50 pickets at each lumber yard permitted the trucks to pass through their lines. The pickets had been instructed by the union local headquarters not to talk with the truck drivers or do anything which might cause trouble.

Ask 'Hot' Lumber Be Not Used

As soon as each truck moved from the yards it was followed by pickets in a car. When the lumber was dumped the pickets marked it as "hot," and asked the builders not to use it.

No report was available on whether the builders had agreed to this, but union officers said if the builders refused the scene of their operations would immediately be picketed.

This would mean that truck drivers belonging to the Teamsters' Union would make no more deliveries to these builders, as this union had given the I.W.A. assurance that it would respect the woodworkers' picket lines.

One load of lumber was taken from the Sidney Lumber yard to Sidney.

While little likelihood of government action in the strike of the 37,000 woodworkers in the province was seen before next week, the following developments were noted locally:

1. Workers at Sweeney Cooperage will walk off their jobs at 10 Monday morning if negotiations for a new union contract are not completed by that time.

2. Two small logging operators are expected to sign the I.W.A. contract and resume operations immediately.

3. One Victoria lumber plant, Slater Mills, Johns Street, was operating today after having signed the I.W.A. contract Thursday.

4. Night picketing of Victoria sawmills and lumber plants will be replaced by a night patrol.

5. I.W.A. officers are considering the release of poles at Sooke to permit pile-driving operations to continue.

Labor Minister George S. Pearson today had no comment to make on the strike. Thursday R. V. Stuart, head of Stuart Research Ltd., negotiating firm for 147 of the large coast operators, had asked that a referendum be conducted among the strikers to determine their reaction to the operators' offer of a 12½-cent wage boost. The union had asked a 25-cent boost and had later suggested it would cut its demand to an 18-cent-an-hour boost.

In Ottawa it was indicated no action would be taken until the report of Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan on the conciliation move last Tuesday had been studied.

May Stop Work Till August

Meanwhile in Vancouver Mr. Stuart announced lumber production in the province probably would not be resumed on a full scale until next August as the fire hazard season is rapidly approaching.

"These dry conditions of the forests might serve to continue the shutdown of the lumber industry, making the present tie-up last much longer than either party expects at this time," he said.

Cutting off of laundry services in Victoria is threatened if the strike continues. Most laundries use hog-fuel and sawdust in their steam plants. These fuel supplies have been cut off since the International Woodworkers of America effected their province-wide strike at 11 Wednesday morning.

Meanwhile the union has indicated it would permit removal of two scows loaded with lumber at the Cameron Lumber Co. Ltd. to be moved to the C.N.R. wharves for loading onto ships. The lumber was cut and loaded on the scows before the strike deadline, union officers said.

Referring again to the retail lumber scene, union officers said they had effected an agreement with the Victoria Retail Lumber Yard whereby the firm will make no effort to move lumber from its yards on condition the union would permit some shingles on scows here to be taken into the yard for storage.

Picket captains and squad captains met at the local office this afternoon.

WIVES TO MEET

A meeting of the wives of the strikers is scheduled for 8 Monday night at the same office.

Union officers reported no striker had failed to answer the call for picket duty, and that all of the 700 men out in Victoria had served in some way, either on picket lines or on strike committees, since the walkout was effected Wednesday morning.

Meanwhile possibility of northern and interior logging and sawmill workers joining the strike was feared as negotiations continued. Union and operator negotiators met this afternoon.

PAPER RATIONING

In Seattle it was reported newspapers as far east as Oklahoma had started tightening their newsprint belts in preparation for the possible spread of the C.I.O. loggers' strike.

I.W.A. officials in Portland, Ore., started counting results of a strike vote conducted during the past three weeks among the 50,000 members of the union in Washington, Oregon, Montana, northern Idaho and northern California.

Daily newspapers in British Columbia also are considering further paper rationing which will be necessary if the strike continues.

Pistols, Stilettos Handcuffs In Plane Wreckage

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—As authorities continued attempts to identify positively 18 of 27 persons killed when a Viking airliner fell through murky weather and crashed in swampy pineland here Thursday, H. G. Myers, civil aeronautics authority inspector, said the Federal Bureau of Investigation will be called in "because there are some things we can't account for."

He said two pistols, a part of another gun of some sort, two stilettos, a pair of handcuffs and a police whistle were discovered amid the twisted wreckage.

He said repeated explosions heard by at least one witness following the crash could have been bullets going off.

The identify of nine of the bodies burned beyond recognition when the DC-3, on a charter flight from Newark, N.J., to Atlanta, Ga., was forced down, was determined from cards, letters and other articles found in their clothing. No Canadians were aboard.

Of the 27 killed, 24 were passengers.

U.S. War Dead To Be Brought Home

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States servicemen who can't be mustered out will start coming home from overseas this year to a final resting place in this country.

They are the dead—men and women whose names on casualty lists went toward paying the battle price of 328,000 lives which the Second Great War cost the United States.

They'll make their last voyage home in funeral fleets of white ships, marked from bow to stern with the purple band of mourning.

President Truman gave the official signal for the sombre movement when he signed legislation Thursday providing for the final burial of the country's war dead. It gives next of kin the choice of having their service dead returned to the United States for final burial in national or private cemeteries, or of having them rest in U.S. national cemeteries abroad where they fell.

Taking Of School Census Under Way

B. C. Gillie, principal at Willows School, instructs Grade 7 and 8 pupils in the correct procedure to be followed in taking the census of all children of the Greater Victoria area. The census got under way in most districts Thursday and is continuing today and Monday. A few schools reported the census virtually completed.

In starting the children out with their mimeographed forms and their credentials, signed by J. F. K. English, municipal inspector of schools, Mr. Gillie stressed that they must ask questions courteously and explain that the purpose of the census is to ascertain how many children there are in each school district in the area. This information will enable the Union School Board to determine school district boundaries for next year, and also to give an indicaton where new schools or additions to present schools will be needed as the under-school-age population reaches six years of age.

Mrs. B. C. Morgan of 2263 Musgrave Street answers the census questions about her three-year-old twins, Ronnie and Russell, as Lorna Hallsor and Joyce Watson start the canvass of the block allotted to them.

Jap Deportation Case Set For July

Appeal to the Privy Council against the orders-in-council concerning deportation of Japanese from Canada will be heard at the July sittings of the court, Attorney-General Gordon Wismer, K.C., was informed today by Ottawa.

Mr. Wismer previously had stated the appeal would be postponed to the fall sittings because of the illness of Aime Geoffrion, K.C., counsel for the Dominion government. He learned today, however, that because the orders-in-council will lapse at the end of the war emergency period, the Dominion government is appointing another counsel to contest the appeal and it will be proceeded with in July.

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"Family Comedy 1840"—A jolly comedy by Marjorie Bowen is being presented by Christopher Frere, with many of the Little Theatre cast under his direction, at St. Ann's Auditorium, Humboldt Street, at 8.30 p.m. on Friday and Saturday. Tickets are on sale at Cunningham Drug Store, Fort Street. ***

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Open Door Spiritualist Church, 714 Cormorant Street, Saturday, May 18, Silver Tea and Spring Bazaar; opened at 2.30 by Mrs. Kathleen Warner of London. Country Fair in the evening. ***

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The annual (open) meeting of the Sooke Liberal Association will be held in Sooke Community Hall on Monday, May 20, at 8 p.m. General business. Refreshments. Come and bring a friend. ***

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Trinity College of Music, London, England. Dean Arthur Collingwood, F.R.C.O., will conduct practical examinations in music and elocution at Victoria centre during the latter part of May. Examinations in theory will be held Saturday, June 8. Entries should reach the local secretary not later than Saturday, May 4. Mary M. Jameson, L.T.C.M., 1001 Foul Bay Road. ***

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McGeer Points Out Difficulties In Way Of 'Canada Day'

OTTAWA (CP)—Senator G. G. McGeer, Lib., British Columbia, urged in the Senate that representatives of the Senate and the Commons get together over the week-end and try to work out a compromise on the Canada Day bill.

The name "Dominion Day," which the bill would change to "Canada Day," runs through a number of federal statutes including the Bills of Exchange Act, the Civil Service Act, the Interpretation Act and Senator McGeer said he did not know how many other statutes. It also ran through provincial laws and municipal, ordinances and doubtless any number of private contracts.

"I do not want to be involved in adding more confusion than already exists in our appalling legal position by passing this bill," he said.

Generally favoring the principle of the bill, Senator McGeer said the Senate should be careful to do nothing that would cause disharmony between the English and French races in this country and should seek something satisfactory to both.

The bill was supported by Senator Vincent Dupuis, Lib., Quebec, who thought it should go farther and take the name Dominion out of the Statute of Westminster and any other statute that called Canada a dominion.

Boxing Referee Freed Of Homicide Charge

NEW YORK (AP)—Arthur Donovan, boxing referee, was cleared of a homicide charge today after a grand jury had refused to indict the internationally-known sports figure.

The jury had been investigating the death of David Stanley Corcoran, 56, an importer and old friend of Donovan, who died after a street fight April 19.

Donovan, 54, was charged with homicide after a patrolman said he had seen Donovan slap Corcoran and Corcoran fall to the street during an early-morning argument. The importer's head struck the pavement and he died a few hours later in a hospital.

Most Dominoes Went To Vic High From Fair-Sized Families

Members of the Dominoes Canadian basketball champions made a return visit to their Alma Mater Thursday when Victoria High School was host to the team members for luncheon and assembly. All but two of the basketball team were former students of Vic High.

H. L. Smith, principal, introduced the players but first made reference to the two "truants," Porky Andrews and Busher Jackson, who were unable to attend. He said that each had been one of three in their family to pass through the school which was proud to have had them. Doug Peden was also absent and was mentioned as one of five Pedens who graduated.

Chuck and Art Chapman were also in a family of five who all attended the school. Chuck spoke to the students, mentioning that he was in Grade 10, 1927, when he started his basketball career. Art caused laughter by starting with "Fellow students." He recalled that he liked it when they had visitors to speak to them so they could miss their classes. Thus he figured he was doing the students a good turn. He pointed out most emphatically that although the students may not think so, their studies were far more important than sports.

ANOTHER OF FIVE

Ian MacKeachie paid tribute to the teachers of the school who had helped them all. It was pointed out that he also was one of five children who attended Vic High.

Hank Rowe's prominent record was referred to by Mr. Smith. After surveying the good looking girls in the front row Hank said: "Well, about all I can say is I wish I was going to high school now."

Norman Baker and Alan Wright were introduced as the only two players who did not attend Vic High. Norm went to school in Nanaimo and Alan in Oak Bay.

Dave Nicol, manager of the Dominoes, thanked the school for allowing the team to return and pay its respects.

Austin Curtis, chairman of the Union School Board, praised the Dominoes for their fine record. "Often when teams travel they are noted for their rowdism," he said. "But since I am in the transportation business, it is known to me that the Dominoes are welcome in any hotel or train throughout Canada. Not only are they champion basketball players but also champions of sportsmanship and gentlemanly behaviour. They are a credit to the school, to the city and to the whole of Canada."

St. Andrew's Y.P.S.—With Max Scrimgeour presiding, the devotional period was conducted by Betty Ferrie at the last meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Y.P.S. Joan Lawrence reviewed the remaining chapters of the study book. A Bible drill and recreational program concluded the meeting.

Strikers At Park Rally Appeal For Victoria Citizens' Support

Appeals to Victoria citizens to support the International Woodworkers in their strike on the grounds the cause was just and in their victory lay the victory of other workers were made at the first rally staged by the strikers at Beacon Hill Park Thursday night.

The rally was addressed by Canon Michael Colman, Bill Noble, chairman of the union local veteran committee, Darshan Singh, recording secretary of the local, and Bob Mezger, secretary-treasurer of the Victoria Labor Council, C.C.L. Roy Whittle of the strikers' public relations committee served as chairman.

Outlining the background and purpose of the strike, Darshan Singh said:

"I am here as a partisan. I am of the union and for the union. It has been a part of my life for quite a while. I am here to arouse you. I ask you to join me to seek the truth."

He emphasized that the strikers had not been led by any demagogue into staging the walkout.

"The 37,000 in this province knew there would be no pay cheque next week, knew there would be less food on the table, no clothes for a while and less milk for the kiddies," he said. "These are facts we knew before we went on strike."

Throughout the province, Darshan Singh said, 93 per cent of the workers had voted for the strike if negotiations failed. In Victoria 96 per cent had endorsed the strike.

He explained trade unionists had made sacrifices during the war because wages were pegged while prices rose, and after the war because excess profit taxes were cut while income taxes remained unchanged.

The workers, he said, were justified in the demands for wage increases because lumber operators were making tremendous profits—twice this year had been granted price increases.

The 40-hour week, the second demand of the union, was justified by the technological advances made during the war, he said, and because 250,000 in Canada now were unemployed.

A bogey had been made out of union security demands of the union, he continued, adding that a closed shop was justified if the majority of the workers asked for it.

Of the 37,000 woodworkers in the province, he said, 23,000 of them were organized and had made great advances during the past 10 years while the other 12,000 had hitched-hiked along with them.

Concluding, he said:

"We are not trying to destroy the profit system but people must come before profits. Any system that does not recognize this will fail."

He appealed to other industrial workers for support because "in our victory lies your victory," and to white collar workers and professional men because "if we suffer you will suffer."

CANON COLMAN

Canon Colman, the first speaker, had appealed for a return to basic truths in an effort to settle the dispute.

"Until you get back to essentials, I don't believe you or I, labor or management, can reach any peace," he said.

Strikes, he said, which had occurred across the continent had become the concern of all citizens.

"I am not condemning strikes," he continued. "In my personal opinion you are justified in your demands. I'm not sure you are justified in striking."

Since the two opposing parties had adopted unreal, untrue attitudes, each trying to down its opponent, each asking for a little more than it expected to get, Canon Colman suggested a possible solution lay in the appointment of an independent board of citizens of integrity, who should be charged to pass judgment on the situation.

Such a committee would have to be approved by the citizenry.

"If the union then accepted the committee it would put the onus of responsibility on the operators. And that is good policy," he said.

MR. NOBLE

Mr. Noble said from 15,000 to 18,000 veterans were involved in the strike. He urged full public support of the strikers.

"If you don't face the issue now all veterans will be organized in the greatest civil uprising in history," he said. "And they won't stop at Regina as in 1935 but will march right on to Ottawa.

"We don't fear machine guns and tanks," he said. "We have faced them before."

He said it was up to the public to put pressure on the federal government to improve conditions for veterans.

MR. MEZGER

Mr. Mezger reported that during the war net wage increases throughout the nation had been 15 per cent while the per-worker increase in production had been 35 per cent. Prices, however, which should thus have dropped by 20 per cent, had increased, he said

He said the Canadian Congress of Labor was 100 per cent behind the strike and the programs of the two unions were not different.

The collection contributed by the crowd to defray the cost of the rally totaled $50.

Decision Sought To Speed Solution Of Transit Problems

"This continued increase in passenger traffic is putting heavy strain on B.C. Electric streetcar equipment, but we are doing everything possible to keep all our rolling stock operative," said W. C. Mainwaring, Vancouver Island vice-president, in commenting on the increase of 50,000 passengers.

"We are in the difficult position at the moment of being unable to specify with any certainty what our immediate future requirements will be owing to the position of the franchise negotiations. Along with the civic and municipal officials and the public generally we are hoping that these plans may soon be finalized in order that we can have a fuller appreciation of our situation with regard to equipment requirements.

"New buses have been promised for delivery within the next month, and these we will put into operation immediately. In the larger picture, however, we will have to await completion of the franchise negotiations before we car determine our needs. Should the Greater Victoria officials follow the lead of the North Vancouver council and endorse our joint bid for the franchise with the Vancouver Island Coach Lines, then our plan of action would be definite and we could speed it to conclusion with all haste. We have previously pointed out that the change over to a trolley coach operation would require from a year to 18 months, and the sooner we could get started the better it would be for everybody concerned," Mr. Mainwaring said.

S.P.C.A. Humane Killer

Victoria branch of the S.P.C.A. has secured one of the latest "humane killers" for the disposal of small animals, it was reported at the monthly meeting of the executive. The instrument, used and recommended by the R.S.P.C.A., is expected to be delivered here from London shortly. The president, Capt. James Barr, reported that Chief Justice Manson had granted the right to appeal a case which the society had recently taken to the Juvenile Court.

A report read by the convener of Animal Week indicated public interest in the displays.

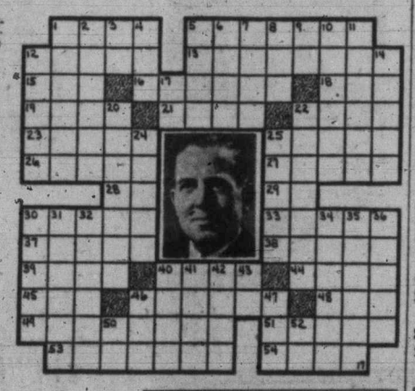
The recent tag day collection of $900.55 was added to the general funds intact.

The inspector's report for April showed that 56 investigations had been carried out, 74 inspections made, 20 animals humanely destroyed.

Nineteen animals were placed in new homes and 43 new members in April.

The president reported that no suitable location had been found for the animal shelter, nor had office space of any kind been acquired for the society to move to on May 31.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL
1, 5 Pictured chairman of U.S. Committee of Economic Development
12 Throb
13 Runs
15 Recede
16 Classes
18 Make lace
19 Cut
21 Pennsylvania's founder
22 Quote
23 Pronns
25 Cast
26 Contempt
27 Prophets
28 Artificial language
29 Area measure
30 Unclouded
32 Flowers
37 Therefore
38 Decipher
39 Malaria
40 Book of Bible
44 Placed golf ball
45 Equality
46 Believers in Arianism
48 Work unit
49 Outline
51 Impure metal
53 Perfume
54 Time units

VERTICAL
1 He is a —— figure
2 One unnaturally white
3 We
4 Limb
5 Charmer
6 Unclose
7 Flowerless plant
8 Friar's title
9 Parent
10 Dress
11 Tidier
12 Nuisances
14 Simmers
17 Ensile (ab.)
20 Raised ground
23 Manila cigar
24 Sleep noisily
25 Former Russian rulers
30 Roughens
31 Envoy
32 Hardens
34 Drizzly
35 Turns outward
36 Grass-like herb
40 Ireland
41 White metal
42 Anger
43 Envoy
46 Exist
47 Short meter double (ab.)
50 Plural suffix
52 Rough lava

(Answer to previous puzzle)

Weather

An extensive high pressure area centred over the Alaskan panhandle covers the whole of B.C. today. Clear skies will be general over the province today with little change in maximum temperatures from yesterday. For Saturday skies are expected to remain clear with temperatures slightly higher.

Victoria and Vicinity: Clear today and Saturday. Winds southwest 20 today, light tonight.

Vancouver and Straits of Georgia: Clear today and Saturday. Winds northwest 20 today, light tonight, northwest 10 Saturday.

Lower Fraser Valley: Clear. Winds west 15 today, light tonight and Saturday.

West Coast Vancouver Island: Clear this afternoon becoming overcast and foggy tonight clearing during morning Saturday. Winds north 10 today light tonight and Saturday.

WEATHER ACROSS CANADA

to 10 a.m. P.D.T.	Today Max.	Today Min.	Precip.
Montreal	66	49	.37
Toronto	59	41	.37
White River	59	24	
Port Arthur	59	30	
Kenora	60	44	
Winnipeg	64	45	Trace
Brandon	68	46	.24
Swan River	54	38	.16
Yorkton	56	37	.15
Estevan	60	33	.31
Regina	58	36	.28
Moose Jaw	55	36	.01
Saskatoon	50	39	
Prince Albert	46	38	.09
Victoria	67	42	
North Battleford	56	38	
Swift Current	62	36	
Lethbridge	72	54	Trace
Calgary	72	48	
Drumheller	74	42	
Edmonton	69	42	.63
Fairview	73	39	
Grande Prairie	76	41	
Jasper	70	42	
Prince George	67	33	Trace
Prince Rupert	52	38	.34
Kamloops	84	55	
Vancouver	67	49	

Motorists Asked To Help Police In Safety Check

Co-operation of all motorists in the police traffic safety check which started in the city Wednesday for a two weeks' period was requested by Police Chief John A. McLellan today:

"Pledge yourself to practice safety while driving, and co-operate with the policemen who stop your car to inspect the brakes, headlights, licenses, horn, windshield wipers and other parts which may be in need of repair," he said.

"We need a spirit of optimism and co-operation, not a defeatist attitude," the chief said. "Some people are pessimistic about traffic accidents. They think that because there always have been accidents, nothing can be done about them. But this attitude of mind is not justified by facts. Although accidents never can be prevented altogether, the number can be reduced greatly, and experience proves that when a large number of people seriously pledge themselves to study and practice safety, the accident rate falls automatically."

The police traffic safety check which is an international drive is being carried out here on Quadra Street between Hillside Avenue and Topaz Avenue. The location will be changed from time to time to other busy thoroughfares.

Red Sought Only For Fire Trucks

The number of red cars and trucks on the roads is bothering the fire departments.

In a letter to Attorney-General Gordon Wismer, K.C., the Vancouver Island Fire Fighters' Association has recommended that a definite color, preferably white or red, be set aside for fire department vehicles, so that motorists will recognize fire trucks when they see them coming.

The association also has asked that the law be amended so that the fire departments need only supply to the provincial police license numbers of cars which fail to stop at the side of the road when fire trucks approach, and the provincial police will lay charges.

A third request is for the promotion and fostering of a fire prevention and fire-fighting educational program in British Columbia, and the appointment of an instructor to drill and advise volunteer and call firemen in modern methods.

Brentwood W.I. — Resolutions for consideration at Provincial convention were discussed at the last meeting of Brentwood Women's Institute. Classes of Dominion Remake Centre will be held at the hall every Tuesday evening.

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Premier G. Drew Hits Appeasement

CLEVELAND (CP) — Premier Drew of Ontario said here appeasement of Russia is leading to a war more destructive than ever before and called on the United States and Great Britain to take a firm stand for the principles of freedom which are their common heritage so "the whole world, including the people of Russia, can live in peace and freedom."

Addressing the National Credit Association of the U.S. Thursday, the Premier asserted appeasement of Japan, Italy and Germany led to the Second Great War.

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Car Bank Robbers Used In Burnaby Found Abandoned

BURNABY BC. (CP)—British Columbia Police announced the recovery of a late model black sedan, identified as the automobile used in the hold-up of the Royal Bank of Canada branch here Thursday. It was found abandoned about two miles from the scene of the crime.

Four fast-working bandits obtained $8,220 in the robbery, which police say was the work of experienced operators.

"The bank," they said, "had evidently been well cased, and the entire job well-planned."

Three of the bandits, masked with stockings, walked into the bank, assaulted the manager and a customer and held a girl teller at gun-point. The fourth waited outside in the escape car with the motor running.

Working quickly, and in a manner indicating previous knowledge of the bank's layout, the three, all armed with revolvers, came through the door and shouted "Get back everybody, or you'll get slugged."

J. O. Lennie, bank manager, and an unidentified customer, were knocked to the floor.

The masked men then entered number 1 and 2 cages and scooped out the cash. They obtained $8,220, overlooking an additional $20,000 which was lying in cage 3 under some papers.

Ignore Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP) — Vancouver's halibut landings this year are the smallest in history with only five boats landing less than 200,000 pounds of fish since the halibut season opened May 1.

In contrast, scores of vessels have poured more than 2,000,000 pounds into Prince Rupert.

Boats are almost ignoring Vancouver this year as a halibut landing point, mainly because fishermen fear it will be the shortest season record and because price ceilings are the same at Prince Rupert.

To prevent the fish market from starving for halibut, companies are bringing it in from Prince Rupert by packer and steamship, although no acute shortage has developed yet.

Langford — A caterpillar tent drive will be undertaken by Langford school children Saturday morning under the auspices of the P.-T.A. H. W. Leggett, Atkins Road, will receive the tents for the village end, and T. R. Kelly, Leigh Road, for Langford Lake area.

Federal 2-Cent Milk Subsidy For Consumers To End June 1

OTTAWA (CP)—Sittings of the Commons were highlighted Thursday by passage of the Canadian citizenship bill and by Agriculture Minister Gardiner's announcement that the two-cents-a-quart consumer subsidy on milk will be removed June 1—a move which will mean an increase in the price of milk to consumers across the country this summer.

When the House turned its attention to agriculture estimates after the citizenship bill was given third reading without a recorded vote, Mr. Gardiner made these points:

1. The consumer subsidy on milk will be removed June 1 and control over prices and distribution will be returned to provincial milk boards.

2. The federal government will boost the producers' subsidy from 35 to 55 cents a 100 pounds for the period May 1 to Sept. 30 to allow the provincial boards "an adequate period within which to make necessary price adjustments." The producer subsidy will be discontinued after Sept. 30.

3. Further consideration is being given to subsidies on milk entering into cheese and processed milk and understanding was that any adjustments made would be upward.

4. No further action was considered necessary for the present subsidy on butterfat in view of the recent price increase allowed in the retail price of butter.

BASIC PERIOD 1942

Entering the debate when possible price raises were mentioned Finance Minister Ilsley said:

"I say . . . in answer to the Honorable Member for Selkirk (William Bryce, C.C.F.) who is worrying about the fact that with the elimination of the subsidy the consumer will be obliged to pay more.

"That is so, but he will not be paying more than he was paying during the basic period, namely, the fall of 1942. That is substantially true from coast-to-coast. There may be a few exceptional communities where adjustments have been made, but that is substantially the case."

Mr. Ilsley made this further statement:

"The situation on June 1 will be that the maximum, the price ceiling, will be established—that is, two cents higher than the consumer is paying at the present time. That will be established by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, but thereafter the matter of adjustment in prices will be in the hands of milk boards."

PROVINCIAL CONTROL

Mr. Ilsley said that if the control of milk prices was to be restored to the provincial authorities in a policy of gradual decontrol then it followed that the government could not continue to pay a federal subsidy because it would be "sheer irresponsibility" for the government to leave the fixing of the price to provincial authorities and at the same time "be pouring federal money into the situation."

If the federal government continued to pay a consumer subsidy it must continue to control the prices and must continue to be the authority that fixes the price. Therefore, if the government was right in decontrol then it would have to withdraw the subsidy.

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Later R. C. Smellie, president of the National Dairy Council of Canada, said milk prices to consumers "in most instances" would be two cents a quart higher owing to removal of the subsidy.

He added that the subsidy, paid to the industry to keep down the cost of living since milk production costs rose several years ago, had cost the government about $24,000,000 annually.

Charles Meek, chairman of the Ontario Milk Control Board, said at London, Ont., that the stoppage of the federal subsidy automatically puts the price up to 13 cents but that 13 cents "actually has been the legal price all along."

In Ontario, while the legal price is 13 cents at Toronto it is 13½ cents in northern Ontario, and 12 cents in the rest of the province.

Nanaimo Turns Down Boat Owners' Request

NANAIMO—Belief that action of setting aside a portion of Commercial Inlet for purposes of the Commercial Inlet Boat Owners' Association, might prove detrimental at this time to proposed general inlet improvement plans, was expressed by the city council here, in turning down a request of the association, to support its application to Ottawa.

Recommendation of a committee that the reservation of space upon two lots at the corner of Irwin and Farquhar Streets, for the Nanaimo District School Board, be restricted to the period of one year, dating from May 1, 1946, was approved.

Fire Chief James Anthony was given council permission to enter two fire trucks in the May 24 parade.

Having completed his probationary period, F. English will be on the permanent Fire Department staff, and steps were taken to rate him in accordance.

Three new members were initiated Wednesday night into Esquimalt Dockyard Branch, Canadian Legion, and four applications for membership were received. The branch formed a house committee composed of W. Pringle, chairman; R. Brophy, R. Hickey and K. Boote. Completion of alterations to the branch headquarters were announced. A cleaning bee will be held Saturday at 2.30.

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Britannia W.A.—Mrs. D. Swan presided at a recent meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Britannia Branch, No. 7, B.E.S.L. Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. E. Jewell were initiated as new members. Miss L. Bowron spoke o her experiences in the Beaver Club, London, England. Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Swan will look after the memorial tablet, while Mrs. D. Shubrook and Mrs. H. Jarvis will attend funerals. Proceeds of a strawberry tea to be held June 21 will go to the Veterans' Home. There will be a home-cooking stall, sale of flowers and a novelty stall.

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GREEN LIGHT FOR INDIA

EVEN MAHATMA GANDHI URGES careful study of the British government's proposal of a federal union for all India—because he considers yesterday's announcement from Prime Minister Attlee, "whether the people like it or not," is "a most momentous one." It is scarcely likely Mr. Jinnah will manifest any enthusiasm—because it rules out the Muslims' demand for Pakistan, or an independent state for themselves, as impractical and dangerous. In its main essentials this is a project for federation on lines not dissimilar to that which operates in Canada. It vests in the central administration full authority for the conduct of foreign affairs, defence and communications, plus the levying of taxes for all three purposes. The residual powers will go to the provincial or state authorities. To all intents and purposes, therefore, acceptance of this suggested constitution would leave India with her independence—the goal of her two main political parties. It represents the fulfilment of Britain's promise.

Mr. Attlee's announcement is the sequel to several weeks of negotiations between three members of the British cabinet and representative Indians—first in New Delhi and latterly with the leaders of the Congress Party and the Muslim League at Simla. These parleys ended last Sunday without agreement; but the London delegates announced on their arrival in India that they intended to remain until every effort at a settlement had been tested. They have kept their word. The statement of the Prime Minister now places the issue squarely up to the people and those who assume to lead them. Britain has always taken the position that she would be willing to make good her original pledge of self-government for this vast sub-continent if the Indians themselves could find suitable ground on which to set up in business for themselves. What has transpired since Sir Stafford Cripps presented the British offer in 1942 is too well remembered to require recapitulation here. Hindu and Muslim could not, and have not yet, composed their differences.

It has always seemed to the impartial observer that the elimination of the traditional antipathy between the two main political parties of India would rob the principal stand-patters of their chief cause of complaint against the wicked British. Heaven knows that Mr. Gandhi, Mr. Jinnah, and successive governments at Westminster have received millions of words of "advice" from a variety of "experts" who have assumed in their comfortable and remote retreats an intimate knowledge of India and her affairs which might well have puzzled those who have been intimately associated with the complex problem on the spot for half a century.

Perhaps the reading public will now be spared these allegedly learned disquisitions—especially by columnists on this continent. For the plain injunction which the British government has laid on the people of India, Hindu and Moslem alike, should be easily understood by the least imaginative. It tells them to go ahead and use the suggested constitution as an instrument to unite India; if they succeed, nothing remains to prevent them from setting up shop for themselves. And then, if at some later date, they feel like "cutting the painter," and removing themselves from the British family, they will discover how simple is the formula.

LOYALTY AND EFFICIENCY

A CERTAIN MR. RALPH INGERSOLL TO the contrary notwithstanding, there appears to have been considerable merit in the general public's recognition of the exceptional team work attained by Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower and Field Marshal Lord Montgomery during the campaign launched on D-Day. The evidence is supplied by The Times of London which cites a sentence of a letter from Gen. Eisenhower to the British Field Marshal last June. Wrote the Supreme Commander:

"It will always be a great privilege to bear evidence to the fact that whenever decision was made, regardless of your personal opinion, your loyalty and efficiency in execution were to be counted upon with certainty."

Citing Montgomery's new book, "Normandy to the Baltic," The Times further states:

The writer gives in a few words his point of view about differences of opinion in an army of a coalition of allies. There are, he says, bound to be differences; and these should be thrashed out fully and frankly; but when the decision has been given all members of the team should carry it out loyally.

A difference of opinion—and a loyal acceptance of the Supreme Commander's decision—occurred on the passage of the Seine. Field Marshal Montgomery proposed one powerful thrust on a narrow frontage through Belgium and over the Rhine north of the Ruhr, backed by all allied resources, especially administrative. The Supreme Commander preferred a "broad front" strategy, slower but less risky, which would bring the allies to the Rhine all the way along before they attempted a passage, and this was the plan adopted.

The Field Marshal's volume finds space for a tribute to the United States forces in the Battle of the Ardennes with the statement that the battle was won primarily "by the staunch fighting qualities of the American soldier." By such statements are cemented more firmly the bonds which make the Anglo-American allies proof against the internal dissensions stimulated by the Ingersolls.

NO SERIOUS RIFT YET

ALTHOUGH THE FOREIGN MINISTERS of the "Big Four" have precious little progress to show for their lengthy deliberations in Paris, the fact that they have agreed to meet again on June 15 is an earnest of their determination to do battle with conflicting concepts of what form the peace treaties eventually shall take. That many difficulties will have to be surmounted before the documents are ready for signature is painfully obvious. Three hours of fruitless discussion on Germany's future at yesterday's final session, however, need not necessarily darken the prospects for next month's approach to this most difficult of the United Nations' problems. The conferees differ little on the basic intention to prevent a Fourth Reich from becoming a menace to future peace. It may not be so simple to whittle down a divergence of view on method.

United States Secretary of State Byrnes advocates a 25-year treaty between the four great powers to insure the total disarmament and demilitarization of Germany. Britain's Foreign Secretary Bevin, on behalf of the British government, welcomed the proposal. The plan provides for a commission of control with authority to report any attempt on the part of the defeated nation to violate its terms. In which case the four powers "shall take such prompt action, including action by air, sea or land forces, as may be necessary to assure the immediate cessation of such violation or attempted violation."

Russia's Foreign Commissar Molotov could see no immediate need for such a pact since its provisions could not become operative until after the occupying armies had left Germany. He would agree to a four-power commission to investigate now the state of German disarmament; but Mr. Byrnes already had objected to this—mainly, or so it is asserted, because the Soviet delegate had poured cold water on his 25-year-pact idea. Behind these two points of view, of course, is another facet of the disagreement on method—with a dash of ideological conflict thrown in for good measure. Unless there are more imposing difficulties barring the way to a discussion of Germany's future, however, the prospects of wider agreement after June 15 should be fairly good.

France, on the other hand, is still troubled about the Rhineland; she has poignant memories of 1870, 1914, and 1939—and especially 1940. Her idea of security in the west is complete political severance of this part of Germany, and the Ruhr Valley, from the rest of her traditional enemy. This extreme, and obviously politically and economically impractical, view leaves Mr. Bevin and Mr. Byrnes almost stone cold. Nor does the Soviet Union favor any such amputation in the west; though she is attending carefully to her strategic and political knitting in the east. All these matters may wear a somewhat formidable complexion at the moment. When they are tackled in earnest, as they must be, the right kind of balm may be discovered. The point to be borne in mind in the meantime is that the Council of Foreign Ministers is still in being.

SHOWING RESULTS

SEVERAL WEEKS AGO PRAIRIE FARMers, meeting in Winnipeg, announced their private plans to extend seeding this year in an effort to relieve famine conditions in the hungry parts of the world. At that time the dangers of ignoring the customary allocation of land to fallow were discussed and the agriculturalists voiced willingness to accept the risk of impoverishing their soil. Their objective then was production, not merely because a market was assured, but because men, women and children were dying of starvation and untold others were already foredoomed to the same fate.

The results of that determination became more evident this week with the announcement by the Winnipeg Free Press, in its first seasonal crop report, that the prairies were seeding the largest cereal acreage in the history of Canada. Citizens in other parts of the Dominion will hope the returns from their labors will bring them substantial material profit. But the rewards will not be measured in funds entirely. At least part of the harvest the farmers reap will be in the pride shared by their non-agricultural fellows for the manner in which the prairies have accepted the greatest challenge of the day.

NO TIME FOR NEGLIGENCE

ALREADY THIS YEAR THE NUMBER of forest fires reported by the provincial department stands well above the total for the comparative period in 1945, and the extremely hazardous season has not yet started. Last week 26 of the 77 outbreaks of 1946 were still burning. Cost of fighting them was $4,039 compared to $617 during the similar period last year. The expenditure made to date, however, is negligible when contrasted with the loss entailed in the fires themselves. As the weather becomes warmer and the humidity decreases, the risks will rise and more precious forest wealth will be placed in jeopardy. The situation calls for continued vigilance by all who go to the woods either for industrial reasons or for pleasure. Among the latter, particularly, there is no excuse for starting a fire. British Columbians, individually, are morally bound to avoid negligence in this connection.

Walter Lippmann

REVIVAL AND REVOLUTION

LOOKING AT EUROPE from the outside—from Washington, London, and Moscow—it may seem as if the continent must: 1, be brought under Soviet domination—or, 2, be rescued from that fate by coming altogether under Anglo-American influence—or, 3, be partitioned into two parts at the military dividing line. My impression is that this is a stereotype which, if not already obsolete, is at least obsolescent. It is a picture formed in men's minds before and just after Europe was invaded and liberated by the non-European armies of the Big Three.

At that time all effective power and authority was directed from Moscow, London and Washington; the Big Three naturally saw Europe as a continent where they did things to the enemy states and for the friendly states. It was easy to forget that the continent consists of nations which have the will to live and cannot for long be regarded as clients, wards, or prisoners of war.

IF THAT IS SO, then the European nations will, as they revive, resist in all its forms the idea that they are the stakes of the diplomacy of non-European powers. Conceivably, though even that is highly improbable, the Big Three could dictate a European settlement if they were united. But they are rivals. The effect of this rivalry is to offer each European nation encouragement, opportunity, and the means of independent action. While the Big Three contest the control of Europe, the nations of Europe are arising to contest the control by the Big Three.

A correct estimate of European political developments is necessary. It is not easy to make it, and it is impossible to present the evidence in a short newspaper article. But, for what it may be worth, I would say that for Americans who cannot consider the details and the variations, the first thing to note about European politics is that the pattern is essentially the same in most of the liberated countries, especially the bigger ones. It is that a revolution which displaced the former governing classes has already occurred, and that now there is a political struggle for power as to how the new governing classes are to be recruited and directed.

WE MAY COMPARE Europe to a forest which has been struck by a violent storm. The older and taller trees—the governing, managing, and leading class—have been cut down, withered, bent, twisted, and in large part, though not wholly, uprooted. The new forest is growing up through the debris amidst which contend the saplings, the scrub, and the old roots. We shall misunderstand Europe if we concentrate our whole attention on the new ideologies. What is much more important is the emergence of new men in an old continent where the right, the privilege, and the opportunity to rule and direct has been—by American standards—the prerogative of a relatively small class.

This governing class has been so much decimated by death, torture, and exile, and so discredited by defeat, corrupted by appeasement, and compromised by collaboration, that it has ceased to be the governing class. Individuals survive who have proved themselves as patriots. But the class itself could not, did not, and often would not, defend the nation against its enemies: by that it lost its title to rule.

THE MASS of the little people, deprived of their old leaders and rulers, rallied around three main centres of resistance and hope. There were the faithful, who made out of resistance to Hitler a religious as well as a patriotic duty. They became the nucleus of a popular Catholic party. There were the trades unionists mainly Social Democrats, who are the nucleus of the non-communist, or non-muscovite, socialist parties. And there were the Communist cells, which fought bravely and boldly in the resistance, especially after 1941, and—because they were fiercely persecuted—acquired the legendary prestige of martyrdom.

These three popular parties—Catholic, Socialist, Communist—appear to have at least three-quarters of the people behind them. All of them are by current American, or prewar European standards, parties of the left.

WHILE THESE THREE PARTIES compete for the support of approximately three-quarters of the people, none of them has as yet had any prospect of obtaining a clear majority of its own. Thirty per cent has been a kind of high water mark.

This means not only that the Communists have no prospect of obtaining a majority of their own but that even a coalition of Communists and Socialists could not count upon more than a slim, wavering, and unreliable majority. Therefore, the probable pattern in Europe will continue to be government by a three-party coalition. The alternative is dictatorship resting on the seizure of the government, either by the Communists or by the extreme right—led by semi-Fascist military men.

These alternatives cannot be excluded as possibilities. But in western Europe a communist seizure of power would lack the support of the Red Army and would encounter the opposition of the British, the American, and the national armies. A semi-Fascist seizure of power would encounter the resistance of the working class, who undoubtedly have arms.

IN EASTERN EUROPE, though not in all countries, the seizure of power has been effected with the support of the Red Army. The question there is how long governments which rest on the bayonets of foreign troops can be kept going. I should think they could not be kept going forever if real peace, which has enormous attractions, begins to break out anywhere on the continent.

GLOBAL SURVEY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press World Affairs Writer

India at last has independence within her grasp—and this time it is being handed to her on a silver platter.

That's the meaning of the British project of forming a federal union for self-government in India and passing it on to the Indians ready-made. The great Indian political parties having failed to settle their bitter differences in the recent round-table conference at Simla, Britain now is arbitrarily moving to set up a government and is inviting the Indians to come along and run it—to make what they will out of it, even to the extent of severing all relations with the mother country.

There are indications of strong opposition to the plan among Moslems, who desire a wholly independent state (Pakistan) for themselves. But Mahatma Gandhi, most powerful political figure in the country and guiding light of the All-India Congress (mainly Hindu) has advised careful study of the proposals, saying:

"Whether people like the announcement or not, it is going to be the most momentous one in the history of India."

That puts the thing in a nutshell. We still have to see whether the plan will work, but it's the best effort that's been made in the long history of the oftimes bloody dispute.

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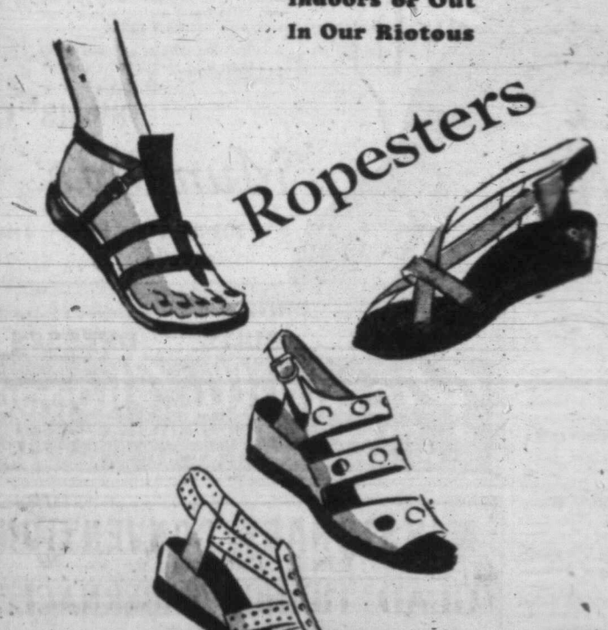

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Demonstrations of work were presented by the Chemainus De... 35 ... and Capital City No. ... staff. The members of the ... costumed all in white. ... cup was won by the Chemainus team and presented by Sister Ratcliffe.

At the afternoon session, new officers were elected and installed by Mrs. Kate M. H. Davies, ... chief, assisted by Mrs. ... Slaughter, supreme manager, and Mrs. Hosina Double as supreme senior. A donation of $20.66 was made to the Pythian Sisters Service Club in Vancouver, and $25 donated to the Cancer Fund. Charters were presented to Victory Temple No. 36, Sidney; Orchard City Temple No. 6, Kelowna; Kootenay Temple No. 37, Castlegar and Union Temple No. 12, Union Bay. A memorial service was conducted for three P.G. chiefs, Mrs. M. A. N. Reid, Mrs. Eliza B. Davidson and Mrs. Nellie C. Beach. 15 sisters and eight brothers by Mrs. Irene Stein, P.G.C., assisted by Mrs. B. Marshall and Mrs. Evelyn Brown.

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Dr. Aish, who is assistant professor of French at the University of British Columbia, was formerly on the faculty of McMaster University at Hamilton. She studied at St. Margaret's School and Victoria College and at the University of B.C. Scholarship winner and medalist, she continued post-graduate work in France at the University of Paris.

The bridegroom-elect, also a graduate of U.B.C., was affiliated with the Publications Board and the C.O.T.C., and is an alumnus of the Players' Club. Last fall he took an appointment in the Department of Modern Languages at the University, following four years' service as radar instructor in the artillery.

The wedding will take place in the chapel at Anglican College, West Point Grey, Vancouver, on July 12 at 2.30, Dr. H. R. Trumpour officiating, with a reception following at the home of Dr. and Mrs. D. O. Evans, 5662 Chancellor Boulevard.

Personal Notes

Honoring Miss Gloria Wilson, whose marriage takes place on June 5 to Mr. Dennis Harris, Mrs. Marjorie Todd Finney will be hostess tonight at a dinner party and bridge in the private dining-room of the Union Club. A silver bowl of sweet peas, spring green and yellow tapers in silver holders with tiny floral baskets, as place-cards will form the decorative motif. Covers will be laid for 16.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Mancer of Kildoran, Man., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Jaffrey, Langford.

Mrs. Dudley Oliver of Ottawa, is en route to Victoria to spend the summer.

Miss Mary Joy Taylor of Victoria, is spending several days in Vancouver, the guest of Miss Geraldine Sawers.

Mrs. L. Matthews of Vancouver and her small son, Ricky, are visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Stevenson, Shelbourne Street.

Miss Dorothy Trenholm has returned to this city after taking the social work course at U.B.C. and is on the staff of the Children's Aid Society.

Mrs. G. W. C. Bissett and her daughter, Marilyn, have returned to their home on Foul Bay Road, after spending several days in Seattle.

Mrs. John K. Diebel and her little daughter, who have been spending some months in Vancouver, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Shillabeer at Westvale, Langford Lake.

Members of XI Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, entertained their mothers and friends recently at tea at the Empress Hotel. Miss Brenda Phillips and Miss Ruth Haywood poured tea, while Misses Betty Dawson, Betty Mills and Helen Smith assisted in serving. Guests and hostesses were Mesdames H. Timberlake, A. Mills, C. Woods, Sagar, A. Miles, T. M. Shaw, M. Dawson, Wood, J. C. Kemp, Lascelle, W. Roberts, W. Smith, P. Stephenson, E. Jewell, L. Alexander, J. Alexander, Misses P. Timberlake, V. Wood, N. Shaw, D. Roberts, N. Wood, J. Scott, N. Stephenson, S. Kerr, I. Jewell and M. Alexander.

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Sgt. W. L. Staley, R.C.M.P., and Mrs. Staley of Edmonton, have arrived by motor to be the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Bailey, Sooke Road.

Lt.-Cmdr. W. Stuart Morton, R.N.R., who has been stationed in Victoria since early 1945, is en route to New York, from where he will sail for the United Kingdom.

Cpl. Anthony R. Thistle, R.C.C.S., is expected to arrive in the city during the week-end after four and a half years overseas, and will spend leave with his parents, Capt. and Mrs. R. Thistle, 644 Superior Street.

Mrs. Harold Blakey and her son, Sandy, formerly with the Fleet Air Arm and now a medical student at U.B.C., left Victoria this week for several weeks' motor tour through southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Horsey, Joan Crescent, entertained at a late-afternoon party Thursday, honoring their son-in-law, Capt. Kenneth Adams, R.C.N., newly appointed commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Uganda, and Mrs. Adams.

Mr. Douglas Kent, who has been studying French horn under a scholarship at the Curtis School of Music, at Philadelphia, has returned to spend the summer in Victoria with his wife and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kent, Olive Street.

Miss Betty Logie and Mr. Charles Drysdale, who will be married shortly, were guests of honor Tuesday evening at a party and shower given by Miss Shirley Drysdale and Mr. Robert Kelly. The bride-to-be found her gifts at the end of a treasure hunt. Those present were Mrs. A. Logie, Mrs. L. M. Drysdale, Misses E. Drysdale, J. Collard, L. Lee, J. Robbins and Messrs. J. Logie, L. Cloverdale, N. Harlan and B. Rickerby.

Mrs. Leslie Gill Oak Bay Ave., entertained Thursday with a miscellaneous shower to honor Miss Alice Thomson, June bride-elect. Lilac was used in floral decorations and the gifts were presented from a box of mauve and green. Those present were Mrs. C. S. Thomson, Mrs. Charles Spencer, Mrs. Frank Bridgett, Misses Patricia L'Ami, Dorothy Scott, Naomi Webb, Olga Green and Aileen Merritt.

In honor of Miss Rosamond Turner, a bride-elect of this month, Mrs. E. Raper, Cedar Hill Road, held a miscellaneous shower at her home Tuesday evening. A corsage bouquet of rose-buds was presented to the guest of honor, and her mother, Mrs. J. Turner, received one of carnations. Those present were: Mesdames A. Johns, T. Simmonds, D. Simmonds, T. Anderson, A. McPherson, C. McPherson, K. Rix, J. Anderson, T. Raper and Misses Isobel Raper, Olive Turner, Kay Turner, Anne Turner, Betty Turner, Kay Gregson, R. Whittaker, Fair Anderson and Phyllis Heal.

Miss Lorna Fulton was guest of honor at a no-hostess kitchen shower held at the home of Mrs. Harold Tilson, 3701 Quadra Street. A corsage bouquet of valley lilies was presented to the bride-elect, together with a wishing-well bucket of gifts by her sister, Miss Shirley Fulton, dressed as a bride. Bridge follow the presentation gifts. The guests were Mesdames J. H. Fulton, F. Wilson, L. Stuart, W. Cooke, A. B. Jackson, W. Robertson, G. Greenwell, H. Tilson, Miss Shirley Fulton, Billy Jackson and Gail Greenwell.

A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Grace Sinclair was held Wednesday evening by Mrs. George Girton, Burnside Road, Marigold. Corsage bouquets were presented to Miss Sinclair and Mrs. M. Nickells, mother of the groom-elect, by Margaret and Gail Girton. The gifts were presented to the bride-elect in a large decorated pink and white three-tier wedding cake. The guests were Mesdames G. Walker Sr., J. Sinclair, R. Poulsen, R. Girton, J. Harper, E. Clark, N. Carter, Gordon Girton, N. Munroe, T. Raper, L. Mannix, G. Walker Jr., J. Humphries, G. Auston, E. Brooks, F. Hilborne, and Misses Vera Raper, Nonie Mannix, Marguerite Hancock, Dorothy Austin, Enid Walker and Jean Hamilton.

Girl Guide Notes

Sidney Company.—Mrs. F. King, divisional commissioner, visited the First Sidney Company recently to enroll 10 new Guides. Those taking the Guide promise were: Marilyn West, Joan Mitchell, Betty Bradley, Yvonne Thomas, Virginia Butt, Kathleen Walton, Eleanor Coward, Gladys Thorsen, Judy Barnes and Doreen Reiswig. The Brownie Pack was also visited during the afternoon.

Second Colquitz — Frances Dalby was enrolled as a Guide at a recent meeting of the Second Colquitz Guide Company. Mrs. King took the enrollment and later took the company to visit the Pack, where she enrolled Margaret Cooper and Maureen Burkman as members of Second Colquitz Brownie Pack.

Donation Tea—Many practical and lovely gifts were donated by members of St. Saviour's parish at a tea held in the church hall Wednesday. They will be sold at the garden party in July at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Banfield, 642 Craigflower Road. Those in charge of the tea were Mrs. George Pocock, Mrs. D. Hughes and Mrs. C. E. White.

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Esquimalt C.W.L. Holds Membership Tea

Annual membership tea of the Esquimalt Division of Catholic Women's League, was held in the Parish Hall, Queen of Peace Church, Thursday, under convenership of Mrs. C. D. Macklin, president.

Mrs. Arthur Smith presided at the tea table. Those assisting were Mesdames F. Murray, T. O'Leary, J. Byder, J. Bethel, H. A. Brown, A. Romanchuk and G. R. Guillemaud.

Mrs. T. Murray was soloist. Mrs. Arthur Smith retiring president, was presented with a gift by Mrs. Macklin, on behalf of the members.

Joint Meetings—First Colquitz and Victoria Rangers held joint meetings at the Fire Hall, for instruction and testing for fire brigade badge. Fourteen rangers have already passed the test.

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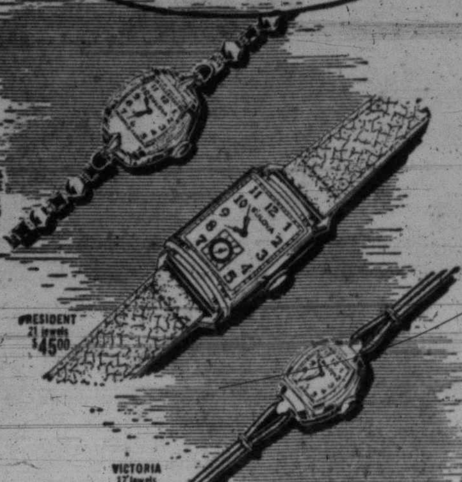

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Victorian Order Visits Many Homes

There were 222 new cases attended by nurses of Victorian Order during April, according to the supervisor's report given by Miss Marjorie Baird, at the monthly meeting of the board Tuesday, Mrs. S. T. Sehl presiding.

Of these, 53 were mothers with new babies, 70 were medical and surigical, 83 were in need of health instruction, and 16 were expectant mothers.

Total number of visits during the month was 897, including 40 to expectant mothers, 195 to mothers with new babies, 392 to cancer and chronic patients, 253 to medical and surgical cases, and 17 others. Health instruction calls totaled 117.

Reports were heard from Mrs. Russel Horton, nurses' advisory convener; Mrs. E. H. W. Elkington, car convener; Mrs. S. D. Markham, publicity; Mrs. J. H. Wilson, Welfare Council representative; Mrs. F. Norris, who stated that there had been an average attendance of 10 at the Mothercraft Classes during the month, and also reported a large amount of mending done by the Junior V.O.N.

Ganges Card Party—Under the convenership of Mrs. Stanley Wagg, the Ganges Harbor Ladies' Bridge Club held a card party in the Log Cabin, Ganges. Stanley Wagg acted as master of ceremonies.

Here For a Well-Earned Holiday

Mrs. Ena Anderson, known as "Andy" to thousands of Canadian men and women of the armed services who visited B.C. House in London during the war is pictured above at the home of Mrs. Edwin Tomlin, Woodley Road, where she will stay for the next two weeks.

A former resident of Duncan and Bamberton, V.I., Mrs. Ena Anderson, who is a graduate of Vancouver General Hospital, left for England a little over six years ago, "to see if there was something a woman could do to help."

In London she went to see W. A. McAdam, Agent-General for B.C. in London. He asked her to take a post in a Canadian canteen he was sponsoring—the first to be opened in England.

"I decided to try it for a month," she explains with a reminiscent smile, "and I stayed for six years."

They were a hectic six years, too!

The canteen was in the basement at B.C. House. One of the main reasons it was able to function through bombing raids and the blitz, day and night for six years, without closing for a single hour.

"We had plenty of close calls," Mrs. Anderson says, "bombs fell all around us but B.C. House stood through it all."

MILLIONS OF MEALS

Little larger than the basement of a good sized Victoria home, B.C. House canteen, under "Andy's" management served over 7,500,000 meals and seven anual Christmas dinners in the years it was open. Those meals ranged from light refreshments and "tea meals" to what was termed, main meals. Hamburgers and onions were always on the menu.

Not only was "Andy" responsible for the management of the canteen, she also had to find the food to cook and serve.

"That's how I got my grey hair," she laughingly tells you today. "It was pretty grim, especiall during the period when food was so scarce. We'd go out early in the morning with market baskets on our arms. We'd beg and we'd bulldoze people into selling to us. And we never came home empty handed."

There were 103 volunteer helpers and 10 staff members at the canteen. "If we needed extra help," Andy explains, "the customers turned in too." It was all very informal."

Informal or not, when the canteen closed Mrs. Anderson received special thanks from senior officers of the three branches of Canada's armed services. Also the first certificate of service to voluntary workers at B.C. House, presented by Canada's Governor-General, Viscount Alexander.

Now that she is back in Canada, Mrs. Anderson is enjoying many of the things she missed during the war.

SHOPPING TOUR HERE

Her first morning in Victoria, she went on a shopping tour with her hostess, Mrs. Edwin Tomlin.

"It's so good to go into a shop," she says, "and not only see [illegible] goods, but know you are able to buy them!"

In England she explains, where manufacturers are striving to supply goods for export to pay [illegible] for rehabilitation, it [illegible] to see [illegible] in shops and [illegible] to find upon inquiry [illegible] are for export trade only.

Just before she returned to Canada, Mrs. Anderson watched a group of pretty models at B.C. House display dresses, suits and coats made of finest Jaeger woolens, part of a shipment destined for Canada.

The smartly tailored, well-[illegible] suit Mrs. Anderson [illegible] wearing [illegible] was one of these models.

"But I didn't buy it in England," she tells you, "I bought it in a Vancouver shop last week."

"The people of Britain will not [illegible] wear clothes like this for [illegible]," she continued, "but if the Canadian people will buy the English goods they are going without, the sacrifice will be [illegible]."

From Victoria, Mrs. Anderson will go to Qualicum Beach to visit her sister, Miss Doris Han[illegible]. Another sister, Mrs. Angus Cameron, who served in Beaver Club canteen in London during the war, is now living in Vancouver.

Ration Coupons

Ration coupons valid Saturday [illegible]: Meat, Nos. 29 to 39; sugar, Nos. S1 to S14, and butter, Nos. R1 to R8.

Mrs. Esther Restall Heads Sorority

At the [illegible] monthly meeting of [illegible] Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, the following officers were installed for the coming year: President, Mrs. Esther Restall; vice-president, Miss C. Cam[illegible]; recording secretary, Miss Molly Scott; corresponding secretary, Miss Grace Waters; treasurer, Miss [illegible] Knight.

New committees for the year were also announced. A gift from the members was presented to the retiring president, Miss Helen Porter, by the new president.

The cultural program on literature was conducted by Miss Edna Middleton with the following members assisting: Miss Dorothy Waller on drama; Miss Grace Waters, poetry; Miss Janet Wilson, essays; Miss Gladys Rough, novels; Miss Nina MacDonald, short stories and vignettes.

Club Calendar

Ready-to-Help Circle of the King's Daughters, Monday, headquarters.

St. Mary's Women's Guild, Tuesday, at 2.30, in parish hall. Speaker, Rev. F. A. Springborn.

Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., Monday, 7.30, headquarters ... Arts and Crafts Sketch Club, Monday 2.30, Oak Bay Boathouse.

View Royal Anglican W.A., Monday at 2.30, at home of Mrs. M. Pope, [illegible] Street. Mrs. E. J. Harriss will speak ... Annual membership tea, Junior Catholic Women's League, Sunday, home of Miss Margaret Morry, [illegible] Stanley Avenue, 3 to 6 ... Regular meeting, Children's Ward Auxiliary, Jubilee Hospital, Monday at 8 at Nurses' Home. Final plans for blossom tea, June 1.

The following druggists of Victoria and District are A.I.D. stores — Watch for Thursday's Advertisements in this paper:

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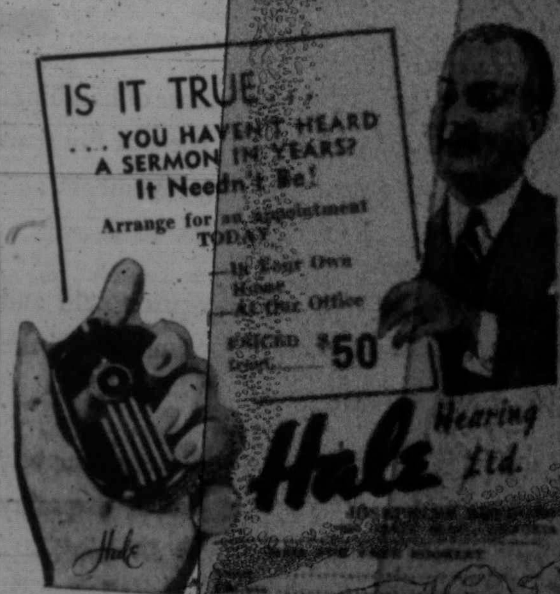

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HONEST ACCOUNT OF CHINA

"China Cycle," by Richard P. Dobson (MacMillan Co. of Canada).

THIS is an affectionate, witty and capably treated account of China during the troubled period between 1935 and 1940, written by a member of the R.A.F.

It won a prize from MacMillan Co. for its factual and straightforward account of the China in the remote provincial towns and wilderness areas seldom visited by white men.

He makes no effort to disguise the obvious shortcomings of the Chinese people, although he loves them for their good humor, their hospitality, their strength under adversity and their ancient cultural heritage.

One of the most potent passages in the book is the description of the burning of Changsha, which was destroyed by the Chinese army as part of their scorched earth policy. Unfortunately the inhabitants were not warned in time and thousands were burned to death in their homes.

Mr. Dobson expresses confidence in the book that, given strong leadership, the resillience and virility of the Chinese race will rebuild a strong nation from the ruins.

EARLY CHRISTIAN NOVEL

"Antioch Actress," by J. R. Perkins (McClelland & Stewart).

THIS is the second novel written by Rev. Perkins with its locale laid during the period of conflict between early Christianity and Roman paganism.

In the conspiracy to weaken the grip of the new religion in Antioch, the Roman rulers have assigned the actress, Cynthia Mamuta, to perform a series of plays designed to ridicule Christianity.

With the brilliant playwright Marcus Macer, the actress arrives in Antioch, but it is not long before Macer secretly embraces the faith he has been sent to destroy.

The climax comes in the Antioch Coliseum when Cynthia presents her pantomime of ridicule. An earthquake shocks the structure into ruins. Cynthia herself is spared and it is only a short time before she too becomes a Christian.

The story is well conceived and the details credible. Mr. Perkins is an easy writer and has succeeded in turning out what may be a worthy successor to "The Emperor's Physician."

Library Leaders

David Spencer Ltd.—"Born of the Desert," Malcom James; "Lustre in the Sky," Countess Waldeck, and "Come and Be Killed," Shelley Smith.

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To North Vancouver For Transit Data

Ald. H. M. Diggon, chairman of the Greater Victoria Transportation Committee, together with E. S. Farr, transportation consultant, went to North Vancouver Thursday to get background information on the procedure of letting a transportation franchise.

North Vancouver is in the process of letting a franchise and Ald. Diggon said that he felt a good deal of valuable information could be obtained as to terms of specifications and manner of procedure.

He said that another meeting of the Greater Victoria Transportation Committee would be held before he makes his trip to eastern United States and Canada in June, but the proposed terms of specifications and call for tenders would not be made public until after his return.

The band concert in Beacon Hill Park will feature the Victoria Schools Band this Sunday afternoon, W. H. Warren, parks superintendent, announced today.

Little Likelihood Of Coalfield Road

Little likelihood was seen today of a road being built to a newly-reported coalfield 40 miles north of Hudson Hope.

Lloyd Gething of Hudson Hope and Alwyn Holland of Fort St. John reported to cabinet ministers on Wednesday that a coalfield with potential production estimated at 100,000,000 tons of perfect coking coal had been found north of Hudson Hope in 1942, but had been kept secret until the finders were assured of protection.

They suggested that the field might be opened by extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway north and east of Hudson Hope to Hines Creek, Alta., to connect with the Northern Alberta Railway, also giving the Peace River area outlets both east and south, or that a road be built into the coalfield area.

However, little possibility was seen of the road being built as long as there is a good prospect of the railway being extended.

Mr. Gething and Mr. Holland reported the coal in the new field is suitable for either domestic or steel mill purposes and probably could be made available on the Vancouver market for less than the present price of island or Alberta coal.

They said the seven-foot seam of coal in the field analyzed 14,225 B.T.U. against 12,000 to 13,000 B.T.U. for Nanaimo coal.

Lutheran Delegates Make Duncan Trip

Delegates to the Lutheran Pacific Synod, now in its fourth day here, paid a visit to Duncan yesterday, returning in the evening to resume sessions at Grace Lutheran Church this morning.

Wednesday evening, delegates attended a banquet at the Grace Church. Rev. L. H. Steinhoff, University Lutheran Church, Seattle, was toastmaster.

Artists contributing to the musical program were: Mrs. J. W. Buckler, piano; Mr. Buckler and George Farmer, bass-tenor duets; and Hugo Willner, violin. Rev. Edwin Bracher, former pastor of Grace Lutheran Church, was song leader.

Dr. J. J. Scherer, Richmond, president of the Virginia Synod of American Missionaries spoke on "Social Problems for the Church."

Treasurer's statistician's reports heard at the Wednesday afternoon session showed large gains during the past year. General business was discussed and reports of minor committees heard at this morning's session.

Seaweed May Be Used To Make Food, Varnish

A seaweed called gracillaria is widely used in Japan in making lacquers, varnish and food-stuffs, and recent investigation has shown that local seaweeds may be used for similar purposes, Archdeacon Robert Connell told the Victoria Natural History Society.

He said the seaweed called purple laver is regularly used by Victoria Chinese for the making of sauce, and that the abundant kelp shortly will be used to produce food for cattle.

Next outing of the society will be on Saturday at Mount Douglas Park.

Appeals To London Off Until Fall

The Privy Council, originally scheduled to hear in June the appeal against the orders-in-council concerning deportation of Japanese from Canada and the appeal on the right of the provinces to carry cases to the council, will not hear them until the fall sittings in October, due to the illness of Aime Geoffrion, K.C., counsel for the Dominion government, Attorney-General Gordon Wismer, K.C., said today.

The attorney-general, who was to attend the June sittings of the court for British Columbia, will therefore not go to London until the fall.

Flooding Possible

Flooding of low-lying lands in the Columbia, Kootenay and Okanagan basins is still possible under certain climatic conditions, according to a bulletin of the Water Rights Branch, Department of Lands and Forests. The bulletin said indications were that the bulk of the snow melting at higher elevations was yet to come.

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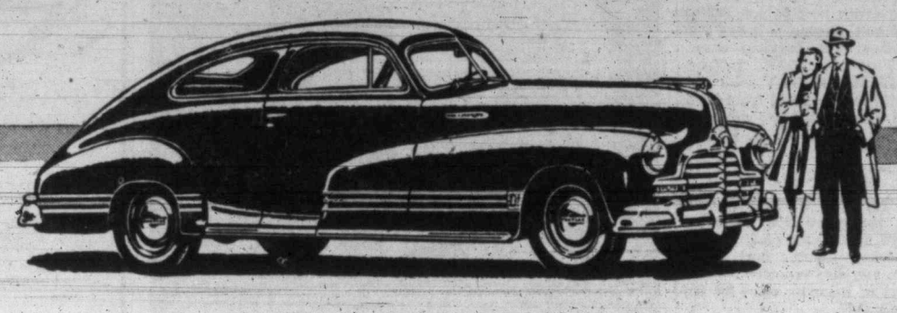

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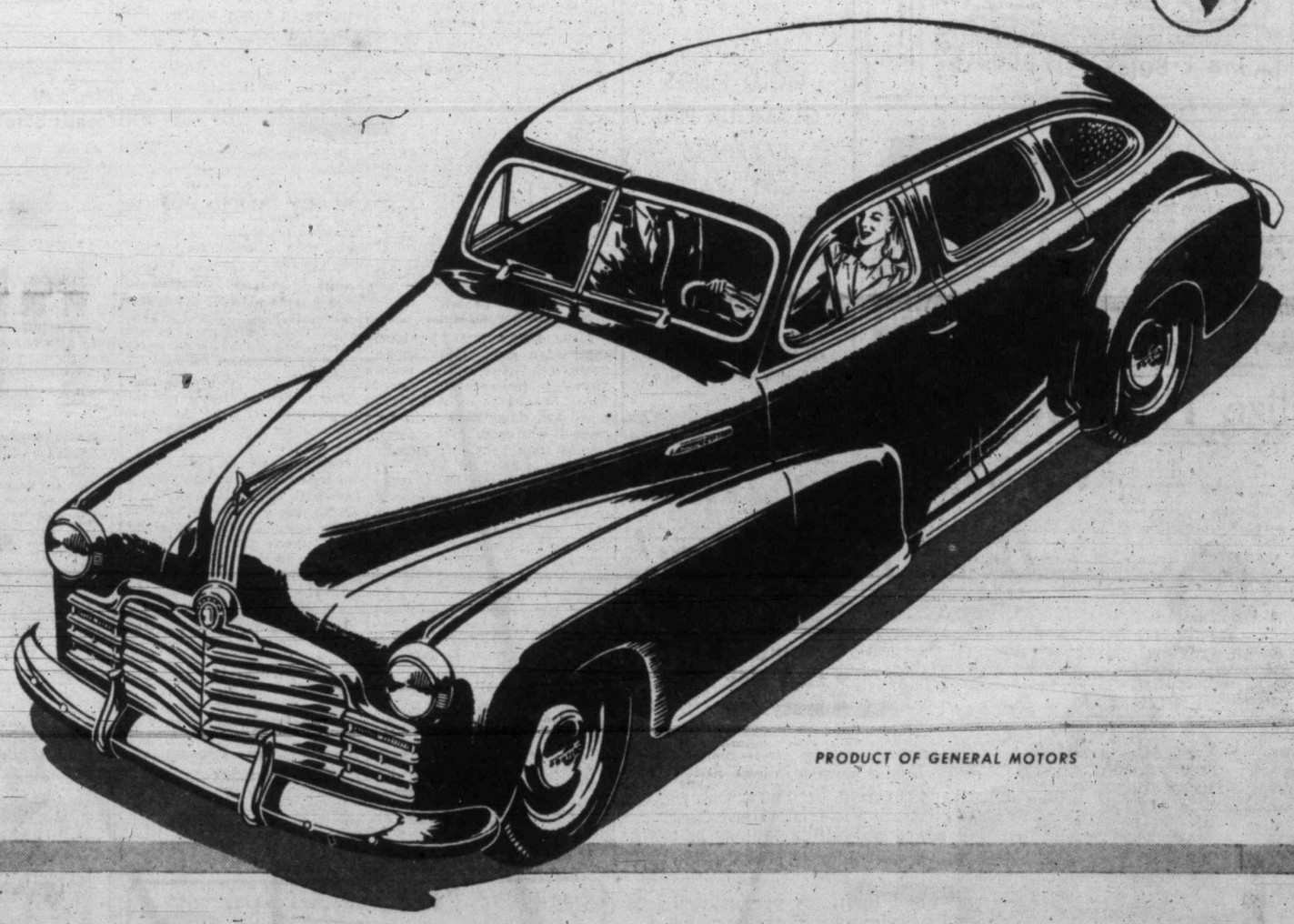

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1. The strike has been declared illegal by the Minister of Labor.
2. The employers have applied for conciliation of ALL phases of the dispute, including the Union Shop (compulsory union membership) issue.
3. Union recognition is NOT at stake has, in fact, been conceded for years, as evidenced by a master union agreement in effect since 1943.
4. Employers offered 10 cents an hour wage increase and to settle all issues, raised this amount to 12½c ($1.00 a day for all employees).
5. The stumbling block has been Compulsory Union membership. Employers believe they should not be asked or have the right to force any employee to join any kind of an association—political, fraternal, religious or labor—in order to hold his job. Nevertheless, employers have agreed to submit this question to conciliation.
6. The Union and employers bargained freely for seven weeks without reaching basic agreement.
7. The law then required that the dispute go to conciliation but the I.W.A. leaders, backed by a strike vote taken last February, before they began negotiations, refused to refer the new offers to members—in other words, would not consult their members' wishes by referendum, and called an illegal strike for May 15th.
8. On May 14th discussions were proceeding before Hon. Chief Justice Sloan with reasonable hope of a settlement. Union leaders were asked to call off the strike scheduled for the following day. They refused unless their demands were met. Thus the lumber industry was paralyzed by a strike surely unwanted by any responsible persons concerned.

That is where matters now stand. Employers believe that this strike must be called off at once in the public interest and that conciliation of all phases of the dispute should then proceed in the proper course provided under P.C. 1003.

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News Of The Island

Sidney Businessmen Seek $750,000 Breakwater

SIDNEY—A strong plea for construction of a 2,300-foot breakwater at an estimated cost of $750,000, was made by a delegation of the Sidney Businessmen's Association headed by J. Mitchell, to L. B. Elliott, engineer with the Federal works department, when he inspected Sidney wharf recently.

Businessmen's groups in Sidney have advocated the breakwater, which would protect the wharf against southeasterly winds, for many years.

Mr. Elliott told them that his department did not authorize such expenditures, but that estimates and other pertinent figures would be supplied when requested by departmental heads.

Members of the delegation told Mr. Elliott of the large flow of marine traffic to Sidney, stating that it was the third largest port of entry for both Canadian and American tourists to Vancouver Island.

Need for adequate shelter for the large fishing fleet and the number of incoming tourists who clear through Canadian customs here were, among reasons outlined by the delegation, in advocating the breakwater.

They pointed out that many young veterans had opened business premises here and that their field of usefulness would be greatly enlarged if the creation of a breakwater made it possible for fishermen and yachtsmen to tie up here at all seasons.

An amount in the neighborhood of $5,000 will be spent by the department this year in rebuilding fishermen's floats, the speaker said adding that they felt the work was long overdue.

Rehabilitation Work Shared By Veteran, Community

SAANICHTON—Rehabilitation of servicemen is up to the veteran himself and the community in which he lives, Robert England, a well-known authority on rehabilitation and veterans' affairs, said in an address to the Saanich Peninsula Branch of the Canadian Legion in Orange Hall here Monday night.

Mr. England recently visited all the veterans' affairs offices across Canada and has received much correspondence from discharged veterans throughout the Dominion.

"The letters received have been brief and to the point. There appears to be a lack of knowledge on the part of the veteran as to what the government has been doing for them. At present the veteran is usually dealt with in a courteous manner by department officials all across Canada although the veteran sometimes is suspicious of officials, little realizing that they are his best friends and are there to help him," said Mr. England.

"All the universities were visited last winter and it appears that the veteran is a serious-minded student, taking only a minor role in social activities of the university. In this manner there is at present something in the nature of a revolution taking place. He has little use for the frills of academic life. This phase, however, may pass."

Mr. England referred to the Veterans' Land Act, Rehabilitation Act and War Services Grant Act. He told of establishment of health and occupational centres to take care of nervous and orthopaedic cases.

The Veterans' Land Act was originally well conceived but at present land values are too high, he said. It would be preferable for the veteran to wait for a few years until land values become more normal, he added.

Speaking of War Assets Corporation, there is, the speaker said, considerable room for improvement here. War assets should be made available to veterans and public institutions along simpler lines, he felt.

Nanaimo Purchases Chlorination Plant

NANAIMO—Word was received by the City Council here that terms made with R. E. Curran of Ottawa, representative of the Federal Department of National Health, for purchase of the chlorination plant at Lower Dam have been accepted by War Assets Corporation.

Under the deal the city gets the plant for $1,745 and the building housing it for $22. This represents only 25 per cent of the cost of equipment and building.

The plant is acquired on a deferred payment system. The city will pay one-quarter down, the balance in three equal instalments which will carry 3½ per cent interest.

Loading Lumber

PORT ALBERNI — Greek freighter Evi Livanos, which was to load 3,550,000 board feet of lumber for Durban, South Africa, has taken on only 650,000 and efforts are being made to move her from the Bloedel, Stewart and Welch Ltd., wharf into open water of the harbor.

SOOKE LIBERALS

Sooke Liberal Association annual meeting and election of officers will be held in Sooke Community Hall next Monday at 8. It will be an open meeting and will conclude with moving pictures and refreshments.

Five Acres District Seeks City Water

NANAIMO—Civic waterworks committee are giving further consideration and investigation to the need for city water supply in the Five Acres District, on the authority of the City Council who heard a delegation at a recent meeting.

Capt. G. A. Molecey and P. Buckingham said they had canvassed the district and received assurance of a total of $1,236 toward the project. They added that they realized the city's inability to finance the project but felt that a substantial start might be made, with $1,236 and the remainedr would be forthcoming if the project were really underway. The city advised the district the job would cost $5,000.

Hillcrest and Wakesiah residents have sought a four-inch connection from Harewood to Fourth to connect with the Lambert line. Nanaimo, however, feels it has no funds for extension of services outside the city.

Sidney Sports Day Set For June 26

SIDNEY. — A "Miss Sidney" contest, parade of decorated floats and midway, are among the attractions planned for the first Sidney sports day to be held in many years, which is set for June 26.

Local merchants will be asked to co-operate in closing all retail stores, members of the parks board decided at a meeting Tuesday night. The board hope to have all organizations enter a candidate for the "Miss Sidney" contest. G. Baal, secretary, will accept nominations immediately.

In former years May 24 was traditionally the sports day for Sidney, due to the amalgamation of the school districts, however, a change was necessary.

B.C. Daily Papers Face Drastic Cut If Strike Continues

British Columbia's nine daily newspapers face a drastic shortage of newsprint which will curb the volume of their editions in the near future if the strike of the 37,000 woodworkers throughout the province continues many weeks.

The newspapers are making a survey of the situation, newsprint on hand, possible future deliveries, prior to rationing paper for their daily editions. This possible rationing because of the strike comes on top of wartime rationing which has kept the size of newspapers down in the past.

British Columbia newsprint is used by newspapers in a wide area outside of this province, including the Western States and Australia.

In Seattle, the Times, itself dependent on British Columbia paper mills, today forecast a serious newsprint shortage should the B.C. loggers' strike continue long.

It quoted Frank Webster, Seattle Star business manager, as saying "if the strike goes on long enough, we'll all be out of business.

"All newspapers using British Columbia newsprint probably will have to reduce in size."

Construct New Plant At Port Alberni

PORT ALBERNI — Construction of a bulk petroleum distribution plant here which will consist of four large storage tanks, a warehouse, pumphouse and other buildings with a capacity of 52,000 gallons, has been started here by Home Oil Distributors Limited.

Contractors are Halse Martin Construction Co., Vancouver, and the plant will be ready for operation July 15.

Sidney Residents Go On Caterpillar Hunt

SIDNEY—A group of Sidney residents organized a caterpillar hunt Tuesday evening and armed with flares covered Second Street, in a determined effort "to do something" about the menace.

Headed by Miss Rosa Matthews, the group cleaned up many of the parasites on Second Street. Two incinerators were going all evening and the next morning not one caterpillar could be found in the area covered.

Included in the group were the following: Miss Rosa Matthews, Miss Agnes Craig, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. White, Mrs. McKenzie, Mrs. Toye, J. Wood, G. Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cornish.

Alberni Council Hears Airport Plan

PORT ALBERNI — J. D. (Dave) Duncan, R.C.A.F. veteran, who proposes to lay out a 2,500-foot runway on Samass Farm, four miles from Alberni, presented plans to the council for construction of an airport here to handle twin-motored aircraft.

C. Lawson, inspector of Civil Aviation, surveyed and approved the site and the council will form a special committee, including representatives from the Board of Trade and Bloedel, Stewart & Welch Ltd., to consider the question.

Dave Duncan, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Woodward, 1588 Fairfield Road, recently flew a Piper Cub plane from Hamilton, Ont., to Victoria.

Nanaimo Plans Arch Of Triumph

NANAIMO—City Council here gave the Native Sons organization permission to construct an arch of triumph across Cameron Street, for the May 24-25 celebrations.

Two bastions as supporting towers, which will be both decorative and historical in design, will be erected in two sections across the main street, between the B.C. Power Commission Building and Woolworth's premises, according to present plans.

Council agreed that something should be done in the way of entertainment for the crew of H.M.C.S. Charlottetown, which will be at Nanaimo during the celebrations. Aldermen Lamont Ross and John Addison were council representatives to the celebration committee meeting last night.

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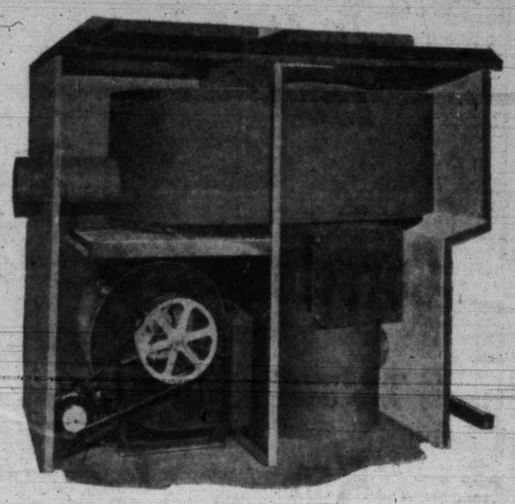

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Bruce Woodcock Gets Big Ring Test Tonight

NEW YORK (CP)—If odds ride with the underdog, Bruce Woodcock could be headed for a shot at the world heavyweight boxing championship. The slugging Yorkshireman, who holds the British Empire heavyweight title, is a 5 to 13 shot for his 10-round battle tonight at Madison Square Garden against Tami Mauriello of the Bronx.

Although Woodcock is lightly regarded by those who have seen him in training at Bear Mountain, N.Y., along Jacobs Beach the word is that a victory for the Briton could mean a match with the winner of the Joe Louis-Billy Conn heavyweight tilt at Yankee Stadium June 19.

Bruce will weigh about 187 and Mauriello about 195 when they climb into the ring before a near-capacity crowd of 16,000 which is expected to pay in $100,000 at a $20 ringside top.

The odds are that the bout won't go the limit as both Woodcock and his opponent are punchers and lack defence.

For the 25-year-old British battler there's a romantic twist to the match tonight. He plans to marry Nora Speight, an English girl, when he gets back to his home in Doncaster. Woodcock wooed Nora on 16-mile training hikes over the moors and when he arrived in New York April 14 he said his first job would be to buy her a satin bathing suit "like actress Carol Landis wears."

Mauriello, on the other hand, wants to win this one for his baby. At 22 the Bronx tavern-keeper says he is a settled married man who is deadly serious about his work.

BRUCE WOODCOCK
. . . his big chance.

CUFF STUFF

Harry Sheppard says Danny Webb is fully recovered from the illness that ended his boxing career in Britain last fall. Sheppard reports the little fighter, now up to 130 pounds, will meet the winner of Dave Castilloux-Gus Mell fight in Montreal next July. . . . Phil Palmer, Vancouver welterweight and navy veteran, has been out of action for several weeks because of a nose ailment which prevented his breathing. . . . After an operation he says he can even smell the stale cigar smoke in Stillman's gym, where he is training for a bout at Ebbets' Field June 4. . . . A British boxing writer called up the Garden yesterday to ask whether the rounds were of two or of three minutes duration.

One of the Jacobs Beach entourage came back with a snappy: "That depends on how well Woodcock can take it."

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AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	23	6	.793
New York	17	9	.654
Detroit	15	12	.556
St. Louis	13	12	.520
Washington	12	12	.500
Cleveland	10	15	.400
Chicago	8	15	.348
Philadelphia	7	20	.259

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	15	8	.652
Brooklyn	15	9	.625
Boston	13	11	.542
Chicago	12	10	.545
Cincinnati	12	10	.545
New York	11	14	.440
Pittsburgh	9	13	.400
Philadelphia	5	17	.227

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
San Francisco	31	17	.646
Los Angeles	30	17	.638
Oakland	30	18	.625
Hollywood	22	24	.478
San Diego	21	27	.438
Sacramento	20	28	.417
Seattle	19	28	.404
Portland	16	30	.438

Brentwood Victors In Feature Of Five Fastball Fixtures

Brentwood Aces and Army and Navy Veterans of senior B men's company, Victoria Box and Paper and Hepcats of the women's division and Oak Bay Athletics of junior boys' department marked up victories in Lower Island Fastball Association fixtures Thursday night.

A three-run attack in the eighth, made largely possible by an error on the part of opposing pitcher, Minnis, saw Brentwood Aces come from behind to score a 5 to 3 triumph over K.V.'s in a senior B men's section of B division.

A keen pitching duel between opposing heavers, Minnis and Dendys, was the order of the game. K.V.'s had a 3 to 2 lead at the end of the first half of the eighth, but in Aces' eighth inning at bat they emerged with the deciding runs. This inning saw Bill Benn single, the next batter strike out, Doney and Dyer gain the bags on safeties. Then came Minnis' costly error. He took Dendy's bunt and hit the runner with the ball in trying to throw him out at first.

BAYS BEATEN

Another close game was the 8 to 7 victory scored by Victoria Box and Paper girls over Bays in a senior A women's division A section tussle. A four-run barrage in the closing half of the seventh and last frame gave the box and paper girls their one-run victory. Hay smashing out a hit to drive Travis home with the marginal tally.

It was Army and Navy Veterans' first start in play in the senior B men's circuit of B section and they wound-up winners 8 to 6 over Penguins.

Oak Bay scored the most decisive victory of the evening in a junior boys' meeting. They beat Duffy's 13 to 0. Hepcats won their game by default from Civil Service.

JUNIOR BASEBALL

Pitzer and Nex junior baseball team will hold workouts at the High School grounds tonight at 6.30 and Sunday morning at 10. Any boys under 19 year of age interested in playing with the club are invited to attend.

SALMONBELLIES WIN

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP)—New Westminster Salmonbellies defeated Vancouver Burrards, 13 to 6, in an intercity lacrosse game here Thursday night.

OPEN TENNIS COURTS

Official opening of the Hillcrest Tennis Club courts will take place tomorrow afternoon. Any players interested in joining the club are invited to attend.

They'll Do It Every Time

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

WHAT IS wrong with Victoria's professional ball club? That is the big question going the rounds of the city's sports followers today. As one who has sat through every one of the Athletics' engagements at home and their four appearances at Wenatchee to usher in the season, in my opinion the blame can be placed mainly on the pitching staff. The club just hasn't got sufficient starting hurlers. **Bob Jensen, Tony Ferrara** and **Al Raimondi** are the only members of the mound corps who have shown the ability to last nine innings. And don't forget that Raimondi started the season as the club's number one relief pitcher, but owing to the failure of the remainder of the crew to hold up has been forced to take his share of starting assignments.

A BALL club cannot win without pitching. However, it is only fair to the pitchers to bring up the fact that the Athletics have not been hitting the ball with any degree of regularity. Pitchers cannot win without runs. But, it is pretty hard to keep a ball club hustling when the opposing club pushes over a flock of runs in the opening innings. Take Thursday night, for instance. Spokane went ahead 7 to 0 in the second and from that point on the Victoria players lost most of their fight. It was just a hopeless task trying to get back in the game.

IF PROFESSIONAL baseball is to survive here the directors of the Athletics have to take action and take it quick. Fans, regardless of how ardent supporters of baseball they may be, cannot be expected to shell out to witness such a spectacle as was presented Thursday. A professional ball team should never find itself in the position where a shortstop and catcher have to be called on to take over the pitching chores. Backing for the Athletics has been provided by Victoria businessmen and other interested fans and they deserve a better break. In conversations I have held with several of the shareholders they have expressed themselves greatly disappointed over the showing of the Athletics to date. However, they express the hope the directors will be able to strengthen the club and pull it out of its current slump.

IN CONVERSATION with **Laurel Harney**, manager of the Athletics today, he informed me **Tommy Musgrave**, number one Victoria pitcher in amateur ball, had agreed to come out with the pro club for its home games. Musgrave will be in uniform tonight and should be ready for a starting assignment in short order. In addition Harney has been in contact with the Seattle Rainiers, Toronto Maple Leafs and Pittsburgh Pirates in an effort to line up additional pitchers. So give the fellow his due. He is trying to get pitchers.

Spokane Pounds Out 23-1 Win Over A's

A woeful lack of pitching strength, apparent since the opening of the season late last month, reached a new low with Victoria Athletics Thursday night, as the club suffered the humiliation of a 23 to 1 beating at the hands of Spokane Indians in the fourth game of their current Western International Baseball League series.

It was the eighth straight defeat for the A's and set a season record in the circuit.

Seven hundred odd fans who took in the game sat through two hours of play, during which time they watched the heavy-hitting Indians dig in at the plate and clout the offerings of the Victoria pitchers to every corner of Athletic Park. Spokane picked up a total of 17 hits, 13 of them for extra bases, including three home runs, a trio of triples and nine doubles.

A Bad Evening

Spokane—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Risk, ss.	3	1	1	2	0	0
Dunn, ss.	4	0	0	2	2	0
Lohrke, 3b.	6	3	2	1	3	0
Patterson, cf.	3	4	2	3	0	0
Cadinha, cf.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Picetti, 1b.	3	5	2	12	0	0
McCormack, lf.	5	3	3	0	0	0
Powers, lf.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Martinez, 2b.	4	4	2	2	1	0
Cole, 2b.	1	0	0	0	1	0
James, rf.	5	2	3	1	0	0
Paulson, c.	5	1	2	4	0	0
Hallbourg, p.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Kinnamon, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	44	23	17	27	9	0

Victoria—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Chrimes, rf.	4	0	1	2	0	0
Lowe, 3b.	4	1	1	0	5	0
Murphy, cf.	4	0	2	5	0	0
Hughes, rf.	3	0	0	1	0	0
Mulcahy, c.	2	0	0	6	0	0
Cherry, lf.	3	0	1	3	0	0
Jones, 1b.	4	0	0	9	0	0
Koenigs, ss.	3	0	0	0	4	1
Blankenship, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Biale, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
W. Raimondi, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Myers, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
*Steele	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	1	4	27	13	1

*Ran for Hughes in ninth.

Score by Innings—

Spokane	010 404 300—23
Victoria	000 000 001— 1

SUMMARY

Hits—Off Hallbourg, 4 in 9 innings; off Blankenship, 4 in 1 2-3 innings; off Biale, 1 in 0 innings; off W. Raimondi, 5 in 2 2-3 innings; off Myers, 7 in 4 2-3 innings.

Runs Scored—Off Hallbourg, 1; off Blankenship, 7; off W. Raimondi, 7; off Myers, 9.

Struck Out—By Hallbourg, 4; by Blankenship, 4; by W. Raimondi, 1.

Bases on Balls—Off Hallbourg, 2; off Blankenship, 2; off Biale, 2; off W. Raimondi, 8; off Myers, 4.

Hit by Pitcher—James by Raimondi.

Left on Bases—Spokane, 11; Victoria 6.

Home Runs—James, McCormack, Picetti.

Three-base Hits—Lohrke, Martinez, Patterson.

Two-base Hits—Paulson 2, Picetti, Lohrke, McCormack, Risk, James.

Runs Batted in—Risk, Lohrke, Patterson 2, Picetti 2, McCormack 4, Martinez 3, James 6, Paulson, Hallbourg, Mulcahy.

Stolen Bases—Patterson, Martinez, Cole, James 2.

Double Play—Cole to Dunn to Picetti.

Winning Pitcher—Hallbourg.

Losing Pitcher—Blankenship.

Time of Game—Two hours.

Umpires—Slavich and Regele.

HOW THEY STAND

	Won.	Lost	Pct.
Salem	15	6	.714
Spokane	12	9	.591
Yakima	12	9	.571
Wenatchee	12	10	.545
Tacoma	10	10	.500
Bremerton	10	11	.476
Vancouver	8	14	.364
Victoria	6	16	.273

Levi McCormack and Bob James, a pair of heavy sticking outfielders, led the Spokane hitting barrage, each with three for five. Five other members of the club picked up two hits each. Home runs were contributed by James, McCormack and Picetti. James took the runs batted in honors with six.

Joe Blankenship was the first Victoria hurler led to the slaughter. After giving up seven runs in less than two innings he was relieved by Rudy Biale, who failed to get a man out before going to the showers. Walt Raimondi, who usually operates at shortstop, was sent to the mound and stayed around until the fifth, when Ken Myers, a catcher, took over and finished the game.

Gus Hallburg was the winning hurler as he gave up four scattered hits and pitched scoreless ball until the ninth, when the Athletics loaded the bags on two hits and a walk, and scored on an outfield fly.

Scores in other W.I.L. games last night follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Brenton	8	11	2
Tacoma	2	9	6

Batteries—C. Federmeyer and Volpi; Sostre and Kuper.

	R.	H.	E.
Yakima	7	11	2
Salem	6	11	2

Batteries—Volich and McConnell; Gerkin, Fallin (4), Adams (9) and Salmon.

	R.	H.	E.
Wenatchee	5	11	0
Vancouver	1	8	2

Batteries—Babbitt and Fitzgerald; Anderson, Palica (9) and Brenner.

Victoria All-Stars Battle Oak Bay In 1946 Cricket Opener

Mayor George will officially open the 1946 season of play of the Victoria and District Cricket Association tomorrow afternoon at 2.15 on the Beacon Hill Park pitch when Victoria All-Stars oppose Oak Bay in an exhibition match.

League play will open the following week-end, with Oak Bay meeting Albions on Beacon Hill turf Saturday and Five C's on the all-commissioned-rank Royal Canadian Navy unit on the same ground Sunday afternoon. Both games start at 2.30.

The teams that will take the field for both sides tomorrow are composed of seasoned material whose names are familiar to the game's followers.

Oak Bay junior club will journey to Shawnigan tomorrow to meet the Shawnigan Lake School team. The Oak Bayers will leave on the morning train at 10.10.

Line-ups for tomorrow's fixture at Beacon Hill follow:

Victoria All-Stars — George Payne, Tom Harper, Allan Griffin, George Gardiner, Jack Payne, Percy Shrimpton, A. Atwell, Charles Pugh, Reg Edwards, G. McIlvenny, Les Gibbons, T. L. Leadbeater, Richard Rowe.

Oak Bay—Maj. A. G. Dobbie (captain), J. A. Hobday, A. G. H. Tisdall, J. G. Wenman, R. L. V. Jermain, P. Paskin, G. C. Grant, B. Scott, Jack Gibbs, W. Robinson, J. McNair.

Los Angeles Only Half-Game From Top

Los Angeles' challenging Angels pressed the panicky feeling on the leading San Francisco Seals from half a game behind today in their struggle for first place in the Pacific Coast Baseball League.

The Angels pounded three Seal pitchers last night for their second series victory, 8 to 5, in three games.

Pulling up on the outside further to threaten San Francisco's all-season dominance were the Oakland Acorns, who for the third consecutive time turned down the Hollywood Stars in lucky eighth innings. The Acorns' 5 to 4 victory left them in third place by only a game behind San Francisco.

The Sacramento Solons survived a ninth-inning rally to beat the San Diego Padres, 6 to 5, while the Portland cellar dwellers subdued the Seattle Rainiers, 5 to 1.

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	5	10	1
Los Angeles	8	13	0

Batteries—Wertle, Harrel (6), Stutz (8) and Ogrodowski; Erriekson, Baker (3), Terry (9) and Williams.

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	6	11	4
San Diego	5	10	4

Batteries—Freitas and Conroy; Olsen, Eisenmann (6), Chapple (9) and Rice.

	R.	H.	E.
Portland	5	5	0
Seattle	1	5	4

Batteries—Mooty and Turner, Holm (9); Tost, Gray (9) and Sueme.

	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	4	11	1
Oakland	5	10	1

Batteries—Perez, Gregory (7) and Sheely; Ardizoia, Buston (8), Hafey (9) and Raimondi.

Langford, View Royal Win

Langford senior B men's team and View Royal of the same company scored victories in fastball league games played this week. Langford defeated Craigflower Indians 21 to 5 and View Royal beat Langford 10 to 4. On Sunday Langford plays Jordan River at Jordon River.

BASEBALL WORKOUT

Canadian Legion senior baseballers will hold a workout at Mcdonald Park tonight at 6.15.

Wests To Nanaimo

Victoria West soccer eleven will travel to Nanaimo tomorrow to oppose the Coal City seniors in the island final of the Province Cup series. Wests gained the final by defeating the Canadian Legion, 4 to 2, last Saturday.

Greenshirts will leave the city for the up-island city early in the afternoon. Game will start at 6.30.

Local officials are predicting a hard, close fight before a winner is decided. Nanaimo has a good team and will be playing on home soil, and Wests will have to flash their season's best field tactics to win.

Winner of the Saturday game qualifies for the closing provincial rounds. There will be three mainland city teams and the island unit in the semi-finals, the winners of that to battle for possession of the Province Cup.

Vic West Bowlers Will Travel Sunday

Sunday morning at 9 about 40 members and friends of the Victoria West Lawn Bowling Club will leave the clubhouse by bus for Nanaimo where they will engage eight rinks in an intercity program.

Next week competition at the club will get into full swing. "Beginners' nights," which proved so popular last year, will again be carried out during the season. Bowls will be provided those interested and competent teachers will be on hand to explain the fine points of the game.

Boston Sox Lose Power In 3 to 0 Defeat By St. Louis

Baseball's most puzzling question today: What's happend to Boston Red Sox?

Held to three hits by Jack Kramer in last night's 3 to 0 defeat by St. Louis Browns, the receding Red Sox stumbled through their fifth consecutive contest with not more than four safeties. Not even Chicago's hitless wonders of 1906 were that anaemic.

In the last five games, of which they've dropped three to reduce their first place American League lead to five games, the once-deadly Red Sox have made 15 hits in 147 times at bat for a team batting average of .102. Compare this with their .297 compiled in their first 24 games!

Before the slump, six regulars were batting over .300, Johnny Pesky and Ted Williams above .400. Now only Williams, Pesky and Don DiMaggio are .300 hitters.

In a parade of players including nine pitchers, St. Louis Cardinals edged Boston Braves 9 to 8 in another arc-light contest to solidify their National League lead. With 33 players participating, 17 for the Braves, the Cards had to go 10 innings to gain the decision.

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PEOPLE OF SCHWYZ VALLEY GAVE NAME TO SWITZERLAND

Sixteen years were spent in building the Jungfrau railway line. This railway goes up the side of the Jungfrau Mountain, and reaches a height of more than two miles.

During its upward course, the railway line passes through a tunnel which was cut in solid rock. The tunnel is four and three-fourths miles long.

The name "Jungfrau" means "young woman" or "maiden." For a long time mountain climbers failed to reach the top. In the year 1811, however, several scaled the peak, and were first to see one of the great sights of Europe. From that peak a person can look at about half of Switzerland!

The railway was finished 34 years ago. At first it had been planned to carry it to the very top, but this idea was given up. Now a person can get to a point about 2,400 feet from the summit by using the railway. Then, if he wishes, he can go the rest of the way on foot, a rather hard climb. At the top he may use a telescope to see a greater distance than he could with his eyes alone.

Switzerland is a republic, and has a great history of freedom. It was a free country long before the United States of America became an indpedent nation.

In a sense the Swiss government is made up of "united states." The country has 22 cantons, or small states, and these have banded together to form a single nation.

Going back into Swiss history, we find that six and a half centuries ago, the people in three valleys joined in a union. These valleys were the Uri, the Niedwalden and the Schwyz.

In the struggles which followed with foreign kings and princes, the men of the Schwyz Valley took a leading part. From the name of their valley, the name of Switzerland grew. About six centuries have passed since it came into common use for the country, but it was adopted as an official name for the nation only 143 years ago.

(For Travel section of your scrapbook.)

Rotarians Hear Of Terrific Power Of Atomic Energy

With the aid of sketching to give his audience a clearer understanding of the complexities of the subject, E. J. Savannah, professor of chemistry at Victoria College, gave members of the Victoria Rotary Club meeting Thursday at the Empress Hotel an outline of science's great efforts to harness atomic energy.

Mr. Savannah said that Einstein's first experiments in the atomic field were as early as 1905 but that it was not until 1939 that there was any success in harnessing the great energy.

He said that one pound of Uranium 235 was composed of .999 of a pound of various elements and that .001 of that would give 11,400,000 kilowatt hours of power, and the .999, if totally used, would give a thousand times more power.

During his address, Mr. Savannah said that one pound of Uranium 235 costs $52,000 and that the three atomic plants constructed on the continent coast in the neighborhood of $2,000,000,000.

He said that while the atomic energy had only been perfected for military use to date, he felt that means would be found to divert it to more constructive uses.

Vic Clarke, president, was in the chair. J. C. Nimo introduced W. A. Harrison as a new member.

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Hundreds Welcome Uganda Back From Southern Cruise

Returning from her South American cruise, the 8,800-ton Canadian cruiser Uganda steamed into Esquimalt harbor this afternoon with a tanned and buoyant complement of 700 officers and ratings. The ship had been away since Feb. 5.

Hundreds of relatives and friends thronged the government dock when the warship warped in.

Chief of those welcomed back was Capt. E. R. Mainguy, O.B.E., R.C.N., Duncan, who was recently appointed to the post of commanding officer Pacific Command, an appointment effective Aug. 1.

The Uganda, Canada's first cruiser, reached Esquimalt the first time Aug. 10, 1945, after logging 63,400 miles in the Pacific.

The next time the Uganda left here was Feb. 5, this year, to make the South American good-will and training cruise, from which she returned today.

HERE FOR SUMMER TRAINING

The original cruise planned included a trip around America to Halifax, but the cruise was changed when the Uganda was at Rio de Janeira April 13 and orders were received for her to return here to carry out summer training.

She holds the honor of being the first Canadian warship to round Cape Horn.

Among her crew of 700 are 50 seamen officer candidates and seven midshipmen, graduates of the R.C.N. College here.

The seamen returned with memories of ports such as: San Diego, Magdalena Bay, Mexico; Talara, Peru; Calloa, Valparaiso; Port Stanley, Falkland Islands; Pernambuco, Rio de Janeiro; Port of Spain, Trinidad; Colon, the Panama Canal, and finally San Pedro, Calif., last port of call before they sailed the last leg of their journey home.

To Make Preliminary Survey Of Amalgamation Benefits

Saanich Council and the City Council will be asked to approve appointment of officials to make full inquiries into tax structure, finances, debt and all other angles that would be affected by the possible amalgamation of the inner wards of Saanich in the Greater Victoria area.

At the same time, a meeting of the Greater Victoria amalgamation committee, under the chairmanship of Ald. B. J. Gadsden, asked Saanich Council to approach the provincial government with a view to having the line of demarcation between the urban and rural areas set definitely so that when the time comes to appoint a commissioner, as has been frequently suggested, to make investigations and report, he will know with which areas he is dealing.

Reeve A. G. Lambrick of Saanich, came to today's meeting with a line of demarcation that had been approved by the council, as requested by the committee meeting of April 12, and asked that steps be taken to have the investigating commission appointed immediately. He said that Saanich was willing to pay its share of the costs of such a commission on any basis which might be determined by the committee.

Ald. H. M. Diggon, however, pointed out that under the Municipal Act no municipality can give away any part of its area to another municipality and that until it was known that the Department of Municipal Affairs was prepared to approve the boundary line which would mean the division of Saanich Municipality nothing could be done.

PREPARE NECESSARY DATA

He insisted that it would be preferable to have officials of the municipalities do the preliminary investigation work and collect all the necessary data for presentation to the commission when it is appointed.

He insisted that this would save much valuable time for the commissioner once he is appointed and that it would take only two or three months to get the necessary information compiled.

Ald. Diggon also pointed out that as tax rates have been set and the municipalities are operating individually nothing could be done in the algamation picture until 1947 anyway.

WANT IMMEDIATE ACTION

Reeve Lambrick and other members of his delegation stressed a number of times the need for immediate action as the inner wards of Saanich are in great need of sewers, street lights and other improvements, but the council does not feel that it can put the necessary by-laws as long as amalgamation is pending.

Reeve Thomas Hadfield of Esquimalt, was also interested in getting a commissioner appointed as quickly as possible. Councillor P. Moir of Oak Bay said he could express no opinion on behalf of his municipality until such a fact-finding commission had made its report.

Canada's Name Stands Highest In Britain Now, Says McAdam

W. A. McAdam, British Columbia's agent-general in London, reported today on his return after eight years' overseas that never had the name of Canada stood higher in Britain than it did today.

"Conduct of servicemen has been highly satisfactory," he said. "British Columbia men in particular have been a great credit to the province. They have been ideal ambassadores."

If Canadians could only have seen the delight on the faces of the English people on receiving food parcels, he said, they would realize how worthwhile their gifts had been.

Visitors to Britain today, Mr. McAdam continued, often did not realize the suffering of the British people during the war or the conditions now.

Of the 13,000,000 homes in Great Britain in 1939, he said, 4,000,000, or nearly one in three, had been destroyed or damaged. In the London civil defence area, three-quarters of the 2,200,000 homes had been destroyed or damaged. In the square mile of land around London, one-third of the buildings had been completely devastated.

British Columbia's timber supplies, he said, had made a truly tremenous contribution to the war effort of Britain.

Explaining the British rationing system, which permits but 27 cents worth of meat per person per week—four cents of which must be corned beef, two pints of milk per person per week and one egg per person per month, if available, Mr. McAdam said only large families ever saw a roast of meat.

NO COMPLAINT

"There is no doubt the people are extremely short. They are tightening their belts without complaint. I think they are prepared to go through until a better day dawns."

Asked about future trade, Mr. McAdam replied:

"I would say that in regard to trade between Great Britain and Canada a great deal of the policy will be determined after the decision of the United States on its loan to Britain.

He said he hoped during the coming year to see British Columbia apples on food stands in Britain.

"I count it a great privilege to have been at B.C. House during the war years," said Mr. McAdam. "A goodly proportion of our 88,000 fighting men must have passed at some time or other through its doors and I cannot sufficiently emphasize how prompt and active was the provincial government in authorizing me to do everything possible to promote their comfort and welfare.

"One of the proudest things in our record is that the British Columbia Services Canteen was the first of its kind in London to be opened to the men of the 1st Canadian Division when they arrived on Dec. 21, 1939. The canteen closed on Jan. 15 of this year after having served over 7,250,000 meals. Thanks to the staff of voluntary workers, it was entirely self-supporting, and its operation never cost the province a cent."

The B.C. tobacco fund, which owed much of its success to the support of the people of the province as well as to generous donations, distributed 140,000,000 cigarettes and more than 25,000 pounds of tobacco, he said.

While in Victoria Mr. McAdam hopes to meet public bodies and businessmen and learn at first hand how B.C. House can best serve their interests in Britain.

"Shortly before I left I met several representatives of well-known B.C. firms who were in England for the purpose of buying British goods. This is a policy which must have a very favorable bearing on our own exports to the U.K.

BUY BRITISH

"Today a stage has been reached in which, if the Empire is to prosper, we must trade with one another to the greatest possible extent. Our motto might well be: 'Buy British and Build B.C. Trade.' For the more we buy the more we can sell."

Accompanying Mr. McAdam here is Mrs. McAdam, who returned to B.C. this week after 14 years.

Their son S.Sgt. D. K. McAdam, who enlisted on Sept. 15, 1939, and who arrived overseas Dec. 31, 1939, is en route here having arrived in Canada aboard the Ile de France this week.

Town Topics

Victoria Builders' Exchange will hold its annual meeting at the Empress Hotel Monday evening at 6.30. W. C. Mainwaring will be the speaker, and election of officers will take place.

Of 358 cars inspected by city police in the first two days of the traffic safety check, which started Wednesday, 266 were given red windshield stickers, showing them to be in safe condition, and 92 were found to be defective.

A special showing of the scale model of Mulberry, the British prefabricated port, will be given at the Bay Street Armories from 7 to 9 this evening for Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, Wolf Cubs and Brownies of Victoria and district.

School children will not be permitted time off from school to view the "Mulberry" exhibition, Austin I. Curtis, school board chairman, said today. It was felt by board members that examination time is too close to permit taking time off during study hours.

The Oak Bay Utility Male quartette and other artists gave a concert for the residents of the Aged Men's Home Wednesday. Those taking part were G. Burnell, C. Horwood, H. Lamb, W. Fanstone, Pat and Nancy Flemming, Mrs. C. Horwood, Master C. Horwood and Miss M. Pearce and Miss H. Giles.

Streetcar Driver Takes Witness Stand In Own Defence

William DeFrane, 26-year-old streetcar operator, charged with manslaughter, arising from the death of Pedar Pedarson, April 19, on Douglas Street, between Johnson and Yates, was called to the witness stand in his own defence by H. W. Davey, K.C., defence counsel, in Assize Court this morning.

He testified that on the night in question he was operating car 235, and stopped at Johnson and Douglas Street to pick up passengers.

"I was three or four minutes ahead of schedule and the car was just crawling along; a man could walk as fast as I was going," he said, adding that the control was set at one notch, as he proceeded up Douglas after crossing the intersection.

He said he heard a noise and knew the catcher was down. He put the catcher in place and released the air, while still looking down at the catcher, he said. He noticed the car was rolling back.

"So I threw on my brake again, stopped and released the air and then went ahead two or three feet, when I felt a bump on the wheel, so I threw on the brake and stopped," DeFrane said.

He said that as he was going to step out of the car a man came to him and said that he had a man under the wheel of his streetcar.

Mr. Davey asked: "Why did you not get out when the catcher went down?"

DeFrane replied: "There was no reason to get out. It had happened that way before. My catcher dropped three or four times. A bump on the road may have brought it down."

"I was keeping a proper look out and was looking straight ahead of me," he said in answer to a question. Vision straight ahead was good, he said, adding that, from one side of the vestibule, a partition would prevent him seeing anyone walking or an automobile coming in that direction.

Lutheran Synod Holds Elections

Election of officers of the Lutheran Pacific Synod took place in Grace Church today as the convention went into its third and final day. Rev. J. L. Sawyer remains president for another year.

Dr. W. I. Eck, Portland, was elected secretary, W. W. Rohm, Seattle, treasurer, and Rev. T. A. Jansen Victoria, re-elected statistician.

F. S. Beistel, Eugene, Ore., was re-elected editor of the Pacific Lutheran Church magazine.

The convention decided to give the Icelandic Synod of the Lutheran Church consultative relationship in the Pacific Synod.

The convention was advised a large apartment in Seattle has been offered to the synod as a home for the aged.

The next convention of the synod in 1947 will be held in the Zion Lutheran Church, The Dalles, Ore.

Canadian Motorist Well Past Winnipeg In Todd Medal Bid

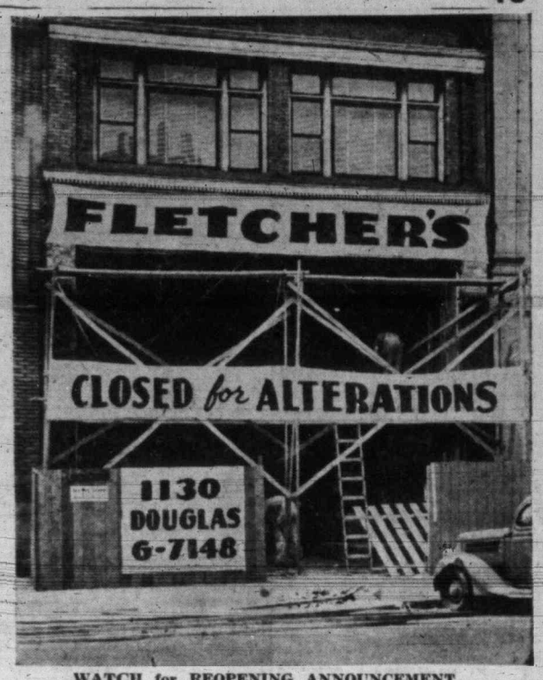
Brig. R. A. Macfarlane, who is seeking Victoria's A. E. Todd Gold Medal by driving an automobile from coast to coast on an all-Canada route, is now well past the halfway mark, according to G. I. Warren, managing secretary of the Victoria Automobile Club, who received a call from Winnipeg by the brigadier Wednesday.

The Todd medal was posted in 1912 by the late A. E. Todd, former mayor of Victoria, for the first coast to coast trip by automobile on an all-Canadian route.

Brig. Macfarlane started out from Louisburg, N.S., accompanied by Ken MacGillivary, former Toronto newspaperman, who served with the R.C.A.F. public relations branch.

The two men are making the journey in a Chevrolet four-door sedan owned by General Motors Corporation.

Before Brig. Macfarlane can qualify for the medal he must go from Nanaimo, where he will land from the mainland, to Campbell River and Port Alberni and thence to Victoria.



WATCH for REOPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

Sweeney Sees Huge Food Loss If Plants Are Shut Down

M. L. Sweeney of Sweeney Cooperage Ltd., which today is negotiating with the International Woodworkers of America for a collective bargain agreement, reported today that thousands of tons of good food would inevitably be wasted if the company's plants here and in Vancouver were shut down.

The I.W.A. has instructed employees of the firm to walk out at 10 Monday morning if negotiations have not been completed by then.

Mr. Sweeney said the firm was anxious to co-operate to the fullest extent practicable and allowable by the Dominion government.

He said the Victoria mill was producing staves and headings which were assembled into barrels at Vancouver, Montreal and other places.

"About 95 per cent of our barrels are used for seasonal and perishable foods, such as meats, fish, berries, vegetables, fruits, glucose, milk, etc., and are urgently needed by farmers of western Canada at the present time," he said. "If barrel supply is not kept up thousands of tons of good food will inevitably be wasted for want of containers."

Province May Name Milk Board

At present without a milk board, British Columbia probably will institute one in time to take over authority for milk price fixing from the Dominion government June 1, it was indicated today following announcement from Ottawa that on that date, the authority would be passed to provincial boards.

At the last session of the Legislature, the Public Utilities Act was amended to authorize establishment of a one-man milk board, to have jurisdiction over milk and "to exercise with respect to milk all the powers, duties and functions" of the Public Utilities Commission, in so far as they apply to milk.

The amendment to the act can be brought into effect by proclamation, a one-man board being established at the same time.

Taxi Man In Court For Carrying Knife

Judgment will be handed down Tuesday by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in city police court in the case of John A. Lennox, a taxi driver, charged with carrying an offensive weapon, a knife, without having a permit to do so.

In court today, Lennox, who also was charged on three driving and taxi license counts, told Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison that he did not carry the knife, a war souvenir from Germany, to protect himself against possible assault, several cases of which had been reported by taxi drivers recently.

He said he had used the knife on a fishing trip and had forgotten to remove it from his pocket. Police took the knife was in the breast pocket of a sports jacket worn by the accused and was not sheathed.

On the other charges to which he pleaded guilty, Lennox was fined $5 or two days for not having a drivers' license; $10 or three days not concurrent for not having a chauffeur's permit; and $5 or two days, not concurrent, for not having a chauffeur's license.

U.S. Coal Strike Still Deadlocked Says White House

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House today reported there is "not a thing" new in the deadlocked soft coal contract negotiations.

President Truman, rebuffed on his proposal for arbitration of the dispute, turned his attention to the threatened rail strike which would halt movement of coal from mines.

Secretary Charles G. Ross told a press conference he didn't think there was any chance Mr. Truman would call John L. Lewis and Charles O'Neill, spokesmen for the coal operators, to the White House today. He added, however, that "anything could happen at any time."

The United Mine Workers (A.F.L.) and the operators rejected Thursday night the President's proposal for arbitration of their differences.

Mr. Truman arranged to remain at the White House to handle any developments, canceling a week-end trip to Missouri.

Prepare Money By-laws; Arena Not Included

A. J. Patton, city solicitor, is preparing three money by-laws for submission to the ratepayers in the near future.

Everything is completed on the by-laws except certain specific details on the work to be done with the money raised which must come from the engineer's department, waterworks and street lighting department.

The exact sums of money to be raised for streets, sewers, waterworks and street lighting is not yet definitely known, but Mr. Patton estimates the by-laws will go to the ratepayers by the middle or latter part of June.

There is no indication at the present moment that a money by-law to get additional funds for the Memorial Arena construction will be included with the others. City Council policy, as set down at the last council meeting, is to go ahead with the arena as far as possible until it is seen exactly how much more money will be needed.

Because the project has been registered as a war memorial the council is empowerd to take additional funds which might be needed for its completion from general revenue if it so desires.

Fraser River Rising

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP) — Bright sunshine and higher temperatures have again sent the level of the Fraser River higher.

The gauge at Mission stood at 14.82 feet this morning—five feet from the flood stage—and it is feared continued hot weather may bring a serious flood threat.

Several days of cool weather had resulted in a slight drop in the river level up to Thursday.

Wins At Festival

VANCOUVER (CP)—Patricia Straughan, 20, Victoria violinist, placed first in the concerto class for stringed instruments at the B.C. Musical Festival Thursday night.

Craigflower P.T.A. appointed a nominating committee for election of officers at the monthly meeting. A meeting for the opening and operation of a playground in the school grounds during the summer months was arranged for May 20.

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Brigadier Retires

OTTAWA (CP) — Defence Headquarters today announced the retirement of Brig. John Godfrey Spragge, 39, D.S.O., O.B.E., of Toronto, who was decorated for gallantry while leading the Queen's Own Rifles in the Normandy fighting. He later commanded the 7th Infantry Brigade in northwest Europe.

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1	1.52	8.5	8.52	2.0	15.27	7.1	20.44	5.6
2	2.17	8.7	9.36	1.1	16.52	7.2	21.27	6.4
3	2.44	8.9	10.24	0.6	19.40	7.5	22.14	7.1
4	3.03	8.9	11.13	0.3	20.55	7.9	23.05	7.6
5	3.04	8.8	12.03	0.4	21.56	8.2	......	...
6	0.06	8.0	3.12	8.5	12.56	0.7	22.47	8.4
7	1.28	8.0	3.17	8.1	13.51	1.2	23.30	8.4
8	......	...	......	...	14.47	1.9	......	...
9	0.01	8.3	......	...	15.44	2.8	......	...
10	0.14	8.1	7.42	5.8	10.10	6.0	16.44	3.6
11	0.15	8.0	7.07	5.1	11.48	5.9	17.39	4.4
12	0.27	8.0	7.25	4.3	13.08	5.9	18.30	5.0
13	0.45	8.0	7.52	3.5	16.17	6.2	19.14	5.7
14	1.06	8.1	8.22	2.8	17.26	6.5	19.52	6.3
15	1.23	8.2	8.54	2.2	18.25	6.9	20.23	6.7
16	1.34	8.3	9.27	1.8	19.20	7.2	20.54	7.1
17	1.36	8.4	10.02	1.5	20.21	7.5	21.16	7.4
18	1.36	8.4	10.37	1.3	......	...	......	...
19	1.34	8.4	11.15	1.2	......	...	......	...
20	1.42	8.4	11.55	1.3	22.42	8.4	23.26	7.9
21	1.54	8.3	......	...	12.37	1.4	22.58	8.2
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25	......	...	......	...	15.39	3.5	23.26	7.9
26	6.07	3.1	10.54	5.9	16.35	4.3	23.40	8.1
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28	0.03	8.5	7.10	3.7	13.46	6.3	18.29	5.6
29	0.28	8.9	7.52	1.5	16.50	6.8	19.22	6.4
30	0.57	9.2	8.35	0.5	18.05	7.3	20.10	7.0
31	1.32	9.4	9.18	-0.1	19.03	7.8	20.59	7.6

Announcements

BIRTHS

HILL—To Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Hill (nee Brenda Morris), of 554 Selkirk Avenue, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on May 14, the gift of a daughter.

DEATHS

BEATON—In the Royal Jubilee Hospital May 15, there passed away David Livingston Beaton, aged 78 years; born in Glasgow, Scotland, and a resident of Victoria 59 years, residing at 306 Gorge Road East. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. S. A. Pomeroy of Esquimalt and Mrs. J. S. Martin of Long Beach, Cal.; also four grandchildren.
The time of the funeral will be announced later by the Sands Mortuary Ltd.

HAMILTON—At Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges, Salt Spring Island, May 16, 1946, William John Lawrence Hamilton, aged 87 years; born in Derry, Ireland, and a resident of Fulford Harbor, "Dromore," for the last 48 years. He is survived by four daughters, Beatrice, Charlotte, Violet, Georgina Hamilton and Mrs. Albert Davis, all of Fulford; four sons, William and Lawrence, Victoria, and Claude and Richard of Fulford Harbor; also two grandchildren.
Funeral will be held on Sunday, May 19, at 1 o'clock, in the Temple at the Fulford Harbor Spiritualist Camp and Rev. Dr. W. L. Holder, assisted by Rev. P. W. Hutchinson, will conduct the services. Interment will take place in St. Mary's Churchyard, where Archdeacon G. H. Holmes will officiate at the committal. Arrangements with the Sands Mortuary Ltd.

KLENBERG—On May 9, 1946, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Emil Kienberg of Esquimalt; born in Sweden and a resident of Victoria for 30 years. Survived by a brother, Herman, in Massett, B.C., and other relatives in Sweden.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday at 3 p.m., Rev. Jansen officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

THOMSON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on May 17, 1946, Walter Thomson of 875 Richmond Avenue, aged 80 years; born in Saanich. Besides his wife, at home, he leaves two daughters, Miss Helen M., Victoria, and Miss Nora E., in Los Angeles; two sons, Richard of Chemainus, B.C., and Alex. M. of Victoria; one sister, Mrs. H. S. Hughes, Mount Newton; two brothers, John T. Thomson of Mount Newton and Charles A. Thomson of Chilliwack, and also nine grandchildren.
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ANNUAL MEETING OF ALL SHAREholders of the Boilermakers' and Iron Shipbuilders' Building Co-operative Association will be held in the Boilermakers' Hall, 902 Government St., on Tuesday, May 21, at 8 p.m. 5914-3-118

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7.00—Danny Kaye—KIRO. Mystery Theatre—KOMO. Gabriel Heater—KOL. Lone Ranger—KJR. Fight Broadcast—CJVI, CJOR. National News—CBR.

7.30—Maizie—KIRO. Sports Newsreel—KOMO. Spotlight Bands—KOL. The Sheriff—KJR. Fight Broadcast—CJVI, CJOR. Prairie Schooner—CBR.

8.00—Lanny Ross—KIRO. Supper Club—KOMO. So the Story Goes—KOL. Sports—KJR. Ted Steele—CJVI. Eventide—CBR. Dick Diespecker—CJOR. Jack Smith—KIRO, 8.15. Fleetwood Lawton—KOMO, 8.15.

8.30—Ginny Simms—KIRO. Duffy's Tavern—KOMO. Cisco Kid—KOL. American Sports Page—KJR. Pacific Time—CBR, CJVI. Unannounced—CJOR.

9.00—Aldrich Family—KIRO. Night Editor—KOMO. Melody Tours—KOL. Woody Herman Show—KJR. Cirocco Ballroom—CJVI. Soliloquy—CBR. Radio Rascals—CJOR.

9.30—Kate Smith—KIRO. People Are Funny—KOMO. Carrington Playhouse—KOL. Concert Orch.—CBR. Waltz Time—CJVI. Your F. B. I.—KJR. Wake Up, Vancouver—CJOR.

10.00—Skippy Theatre—KIRO. Waltz Time—KOMO. Glen Hardy—KOL. Alan Young—KJR, CJVI, CJOR. CBC News—CBR.

10.30—Evergreen Empire—KIRO. Song Time—KOMO. Fulton Lewis Jr.—KOL. News—KJR, CJVI. Casino Garden Orch.—CBR. Concert Hour—CJOR. Baseball—CJVI, 10.45.

11.00—Five Star Final—KIRO. Richfield Reporter—KOMO. Am. Legion Fights—KOL. Magic Hour—KJR. Jimmy Dorsey—CJVI. Speaking of Records—CBR.

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7.00—Clifton Webb is guest of Danny Kaye—KIRO.

7.30—Paul Whiteman drops in on Sports Newsreel to chat with Bill Stern—KOMO.

9.30—Olivia De Havilland is Kate Smith's Guest—KIRO.

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11.30—Wash. Reports—KIRO. Romance Time—KOMO. Northwest News—KOL. Magic Hour—KJR. Sammy Kaye's Orch.—CBR. Lullaby Land—CJOR.

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8.00—News—KIRO, CJVI, CBR, CJOR, KOL. Breakfast Bandwagon—KOMO. Facts and Factors—KJR.

8.30—Bob Garred, News—KIRO. Sam Hayes—KOMO. Morning Melodies—KOL. Rhapsody in Rhythm—KJR. Musical Clock—CJVI. Morning Concert—CBR. Billy Browne—CJOR.

9.00—Theatre of Today—KIRO. Fred Waring—KOMO. Wake Up and Smile—KJR. Jerry Morris—KOL. News—CJVI. Off the Record—CBR. Shut In—CJOR.

9.30—Let's Pretend—KIRO. Ed McConnell—KOMO. Land of the Lost—KOL. Wake Up and Smile—KJR. Swing Classics—CJVI. World Waltzes—CBR. Ranch House—CJOR.

10.00—Grand Central Station—KIRO. Farm and Home Hour—KOMO. House of Mystery—KOL. News—KJR. Land of Supposing—CBR, CJVI. P.-T. Association—CJOR.

10.30—County Fair—KIRO. Nots From a Diary—KJR. Pied Piper—KOMO. Timely Tips—KOL. Musicale—CJVI. Musical Showcase—CBR. Pre Recs on Parade—CJOR.

11.00—Mary Lee Taylor—KIRO. Tillamook Kit—KOMO. Glen Hardy News—KOL. Let's All Sing—KJR. Swing High—CJVI. Swing High—CBR. Broadway Melodies—CJOR.

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12.00—Swap 'n' Shop—KIRO. Orchestras of Nation—KOMO. News—KOL. Piano Playhouse—KJR. Jubilee Jackpot—CJVI. Sammy Kaye—CJOR. Back Room Boys—CJVI, 12.15.

12.30—Billie Burke—KIRO. Orchestras of Nation—KOMO. Ralston Opry House—KOL. Round-up Time—KJR. News—CJVI. Unannounced—CBR. Dick Diespecker—CJOR. Noontime Novelties—CJVI, 12.45.

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3.00—Pacific Story—KOMO. Pacific Story—KOMO. Zeke Manners—KOL. News—KJR, KIRO. Schools Sing—CBR. Prairie Special—CJVI.

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4.00—Academy Award Theatre—KIRO. Our Foreign Policy—KOMO. Hawaii Calls—KOL. Treasury Salute—KJR. 900 Club—CJVI. Hawaii Calls—CBR. Fifteen Firsts—CJOR.

4.30—Newsreel—KIRO. Name Your Music—KOMO. Paul Schubert—KOL. Local News—KJR. 900 Club—CJVI. Flying Down to Rio—CBR. Fifteen Firsts—CJOR.

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Eight Victoria High School students, part of a large caste of performers in the school's spring concert this evening and Saturday at 8.30 which is in aid of Queen Alexandra Solarium, are, left to right: Ann Gill, Maxine Simpson, Joyce Hemsley, Alan Keyworth, Pam Newton, Rod Nixon, Betty Chrisfield, and Bernice Fawcet. Among the items to be presented by the student entertainers will be songs of the gay nineties, Easter parade, choral selections by a 100-voice choir, boys' glee club, the girls' chorus, and senior mixed choruses, instrumental renditions and plays.

Vera Vague Seen In Dominion Show

You'll soon be seeing Vera Vague in the comic strips.

Vera, who is currently appearing in "Snafu," George Abbott's screen production of his Broadway stage hit, showing under Columbia Pictures' release at the Dominion Theatre, has given her permission to artist Jack Anderson and writer Bob Jeffers to immortalize in pen and ink the man-chasing spinster she created on radio shows.

The artist and writer have been working on the idea and have already submitted several sample strips to Miss Vague. It is expected that the strip, dealing with the fictional and comic adventures of Vera around an army camp, will be ready for newspaper syndication very soon.

RIO THEATRE

To the movie industry, which thinks in caviar, the western epic is bread and butter. It pays the rent and always meets the payroll. The pictures are perennial. Harry Sherman, producer of the famous Hopalong Cassidy films, decided to make six of these a year. They were immediately gold mines.

Three characters dominate all "Pop" Sherman's "Hoppy" films: William Boyd, as the Robin Hood of the prairies, wearing that same picturesque cowboy outfit; Andy Clyde, playing California Carlson, bewhiskered and hungry sidekick of Hoppy's, and Jimmy Rogers (son of the famous Will) who holds up the heart interest. Boyd himself, once a Cecil B. DeMille romantic, has long since said goodbye to "sissy stuff." His manly lips never touch a lovely Sherman heroine's.

"Texas Masquerade," Sherman's fifty-first film in this series, bows in at the Rio Theatre through United Artists release today.

Where To Go Tonight
(As Advertised)

ATLAS—Shirley Temple in "Kiss and Tell."

CADET—"Week End at Waldrof," starring Ginger Rogers.

CAPITOL—Gene Tierney and Cornel Wilde in "Leave Her to Heaven."

DOMINION — Robert Benchley and Vera Vague in "Snafu."

OAK BAY-PLAZA — "Blithe Spirit."

RIO — "Texas Masquerade," starring William Boyd

YORK—"Rhapsody in Blue," starring Robert Alda.

OAK BAY-PLAZA THEATRES

Elvira, the gay and charming ghost of Noel Coward's "Blithe Spirit," the two cities technicolor film now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres through United Artists, sets a new style for ghosts. No dead white spook with dank hair and clinging shroud, but a charming, impish figure, filmy as thistledown, in technicolor.

Appearing on the screen with seemingly effortless grace, a soft "shade" of emeraldy-grey with brilliant rose lipstick and nails, Elvira, played by Kay Hammond, is a creation of art.

YORK THEATRE

New York stage actor Herbert Rudley has learned a lot about Ira Gershwin since he started portraying the lyricist in the Warner motion picture "Rhapsody in Blue," now at the York Theatre, which stars Robert Alda as George Gershwin, Joan Leslie, Alexis Smith and Charles Coburn.

He's discovered that Ira enjoys a sociable game of poker and has an uncanny knack of balancing chips on his forehead and making them stay there. None of the song writer's poker cronies have been able to duplicate the trick, or figure it out.

"Neither," said Rudley, "have I. But it wouldn't do me any good for his role if I could. There are no poker games in the picture."

International Cast Seen In York Film

Although "The Wife of Monte Cristo," coming to the York Theatre, is laid in Paris and there are seven nationalities represented in the cast, there is not a Frenchman in the picture.

John Loder, the star, is English; Lenore Aubert, Egon Brecher and director Edgar G. Ulmer are Czechs, Eva Gabor is Hungarian, Fritz Kortner is Austrian, Eduardo Ciannell is Italian, Martin Kosleck and Fritz Feld are German and Charles Dingle and other members of the cast are American.

CAPITOL THEATRE

The first psychological drama ever to be filmed in technicolor, "Leave Her to Heaven," the 20th Century-Fox screen version of Ben Ames Williams' dramatic best-seller, starring Gene Tierney, Cornel Wilde and Jeanne Crain is presented by Darryl F. Zanuck, and is currently at the Capitol Theatre.

The film tells the gripping story of a young wife who was guilty of the deadliest of the seven deadly sins, and of the effects of her relentless fight to be loved as completely as she, herself, loved.

Hollywood Column

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—A new generation of movie goers has arisen since the war and the actor returning from the service faces a big task in learning to please them. That's what Henry Fonda thinks.

"I wanted to be careful about my first film," he said on the set of "My Darling Clementine." "That's why I waited six months for the right role. There are many people going to the movies now who didn't four years ago. I have to please them, too."

Hank is looking more blue-eyed and handsome than ever, and the navy added a few pounds to his former slim self. He has lined up a heavy schedule with two pictures after "Clementine" and then "Ethan Frome" with Bette Davis in September.

"Any picture can make money." That was a comforting Hollywood axium during the war, but Director William Seiter says it is on the way out.

"During the war there weren't enough theatre seats for the business," said the veteran director, "but that situation is being relieved."

Seiter said present costs make it harder to get a quick profit out of pictures. "The average A picture, which cost $400,000 a few years ago, now runs to between $1,000,000 and $3,000,000," he reported.

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Columbia Survey Keenly Watched

The provincial government is giving close attention today to an investigation of the resources of the Columbia River on which, according to a statement from Ottawa, $300,000 will be spent in British Columbia in the present fiscal year.

The investigation is being conducted by the International Joint Commission, which on concluding its surveys will reportthe facts it finds to the Canadian and U.S. governments and will make what recommendations it thinks fit.

Resources being surveyed are water power, fisheries, irrigation, reclamation, navigation, domestic water supply, flood control, and wild life conservation.

Because of the value to British Columbia of the rich alluvial lands between Kootenay Lake and the international boundary, immediate attention is being given to means of storing water on the upper part of the Kootenay and controlling floods that sometimes complicate reclamation of 30,000 acres.

Chief interest of British Columbia in the investigations is that no recommendations should be made which, if carried out, would result in the flooding of towns, farm lands, or mineral or forest resources without at least equivalent gains.

Total cost of the International Joint Commission's surveys is expected to be more than $750,000 in Canada and $4,000,000 in the United States over a period of three or four years.

Potential water power of the main stream of the Columbia and its tributaries, according to the commission, is comparable to the present developed power of the entire continent.

Streetcar Traffic Heavy In April

Indicative of the growth and expansion of Victoria's population are passenger traffic figures of the B.C. Electric which continue to show an increase over last year despite lesser industrial activity brought about by the closing down of wartime plants, according to company figures released today.

During April the company's lines carried 50,000 more revenue passengers than during April of 1945, according to H. Rowland Halls, traffic superintendent. There were 1,175,028 passengers handled on street railway and bus routes of the company last month as compared with 1,121,818 for April last year. These figures did not include transfer passengers would would normally be responsible for 10 per cent higher totals.

ATLAS THEATRE

Diana and Pamela, the teenage daughters of writer F. Hugh Herbert, from whose experiences he created the leading role in the sensational stage play, "Kiss and Tell," which Columbia Pictures' currently is showing as a screenplay at the Atlas Theatre, made their acting debuts in support of Shirley Temple.

Youngster Rescued From Inner Harbor

Wet and cold, but otherwise suffering no ill effects, eight-year-old Freddie McFadden, son of Mrs. E. W. McFadden, 312 St. James Street, was pulled from the Inner Harbor by Constable Donald Simpson, C.P.R. policeman, shortly after 6 Wednesday evening.

Young Freddie Smith, with a chum, was walking along the cement walk on Belleville harbor front when he slipped and fell into the water.

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Regina	6	8
Rich Group	15	19
Santiago	55	60
Sunbear	12	15
Tiffany	8	11
Trojan	23	28
Walcora	18	22
Salmita	57	61

London Market

LONDON (Reuter)—Although most markets have been comparatively firm, a good deal of liquidation has been in progress on stock markets today.

In the mining market American interests returned in support of copper shares and base metal issues were helped from the same source. Among miscellaneous mines San Francisco Mines of Mexico were firm.

Industrial shares were rather patchy with Greyhound Racing shares marked down on hints of a possible betting tax.

Gilt-edged issues closed at the lowest of the day with losses up to a half a point.

British stock closings: Austin Motor A 39s 3d, Babcock & Wilcox 65s, Boots Pure Drug 60s, Central Mining £26½, Consolidate Goldfields 35s 7½d, Courtaulds 54s 10½d, Crown Mines 140s, De Beers £21⅝, East Geduld £10⅝, Hudson's Bay Co. 109s 1½d, London Midland Railway £28½, Metal Box 102s 6d, Mexican Eagle 16s 6d, Mining Trust Ltd. 9s 6d, Rand Mines 145s, Spring Mines 15s.

Bonds: British 2½% Consols £96⅝, British 3½% War Loan £105⅝, British Funding 4s 1960-90 £117¼.

Plan Oil Drilling

EDMONTON (CP)—Oil drilling along the Alaska Highway in the vicinity of Fort Nelson is to be undertaken immediately by a large United States oil concern, Socony Vacuum, which has large holdings in the area, it was learned today.

A drilling party left Edmonton Thursday by plane to open the test drilling program.

Exploratory work on oil drilling has been going on in the Fort Nelson region for the last three years by two major U.S. companies and some time ago unconfirmed reports said indications of oil had been found in the region.

CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY (CP)—Short cattle supplies being cleaned up at steady prices.

Thursday's receipts: 404 cattle, 9 calves, 689 hogs, 37 sheep. This morning's receipts: 76 cattle.

Hogs sold Thursday at 18.85 for A's, sows 12.85.

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Montreal

Lower Trends Again To Final Hour For Fourth Session

MONTREAL (CP) — Trends were irregularly lower on average for the fourth session in a row today in trading up to the final hour on the stock exchange and curb market.

A few industrials made a rallying gesture and higher were Dosco, Dominion Coal Preferred, Vickers Issues, Westinghouse, Converters A and B and Davis A.

Better in paper were Price, B.C. Pulp, Lake St. John and Donnacona.

Weaker in utilities were Montreal Power, Power Corporation, Ottawa Power, S.C. Power, International Power, Shawinigan and Winnipeg Electric.

In metals, Smelters, Nickel and Hudson Bay were better. McCool slipped in refineries and Petroleum retrieved a loss. Homestead was off in western oils. Sullivan and Jack Lake worked higher in junior mines.

Closing Montreal Averages:
20 industrials 144.10, off 0.10
10 utilities 82.30, off 1.10
30 combined 123.50, off 0.40
10 pulp-paper 383.44, off 0.52
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Aluminum pfd.	105	105¼
Asbestos Corp.	32	32½
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Bell Telephone	208	210
Brazilian Tract.	25⅝	26
Br. Amerc. Oil	27	27½
B.C. Packers	50	51
B.C. Power A	—	35
Bruck Silk Mills	19¼	19¾
Building Products	32	32⅜
Bulolo Gold	20¼	20½
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Can. Cement	22⅝	23¼
Can. Malting	60	62
Can. Nor. Power	11½	11½
Can. Steamships com.	19¼	19½
Do. pfd.	51½	52
Cdn. Breweries	25¼	25½
Cdn. Bronze com.	50	52½
Cdn. Car and Fdry. com.	17⅞	18
Cdn. Celanese	—	66
Cdn. Dredge and Dock	27	29
Cdn. Indus. Alcohol	22⅞	22½
Cdn. Industries B	235	244
Cdn. Locomotive	41	41½
C.P.R.	20	20¼
Cdn. Vickers com.	35	35½
Do. pfd.	150	155
Cockshutt Plow	17	17¼
Comm. Alcohol	5	5⅛
Cons. Paper	21	21⅛
Consumers Glass	49½	50
Crown Cork and Seal	49¼	50
Distillers Seag.	124⅛	125
Dom. Bridge	42	42⅝
Dom. Engineering	59½	62½
Dom. Oilcloth and Linoleum	—	45
Dom. Woolens	17¼	17½
Dom. Steel and Coal B	20¾	20½
Dom. Stores	—	26⅞
Dom. Tar and Chemical	26	27
Dom. Textiles	110	113
Donna Paper	18	18¼
Dryden Paper	17¼	—
Fairchild Air.	4	4½
Fleet Aircraft	5⅝	6¼
Ford of Can. A	27½	28
Foundation Co.	30⅞	32
Fraser Co. V.T.	69⅛	69⅞
Gatineau Pwr.	19½	19¾
Gen. Steel Wares	18⅛	18⅞
Gypsum Lime and Alabastine	16⅛	16½
Hamilton Bridge	9⅞	10
Howard Smith	32½	34
Imperial Oil	14½	14¾
Imp. Tobacco	15⅜	15½
International Bronze Pwdr.	22	23
Inter. Nickel	42⅝	43⅛
Inter. Paper	—	54⅝
Inter. Pete.	18⅝	19
Inter. Power	—	54
Lake of Woods	35¾	36
Maple Leaf com.	15½	16
Massey Harris com.	18	18¼
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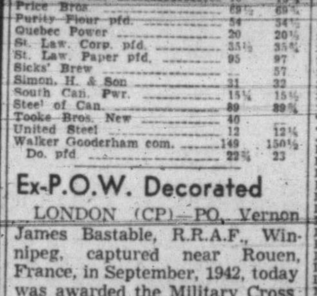
Purity Flour pfd.	54	34½
Quebec Power	20	20½
St. Law. Corp. pfd.	35½	35⅝
St. Law. Paper pfd.	95	97
Sicks' Brew	—	57
Simon, H. & Son	31	32
South Can. Pwr.	15¼	15½
Steel of Can.	89	89⅞
Tooke Bros. New	40	—
United Steel	12	12¼
Walker Gooderham com.	149	150½
Do. pfd.	22¾	23

Ex-P.O.W. Decorated

LONDON (CP)—PO. Vernon James Bastable, R.R.A.F., Winnipeg, captured near Rouen, France, in September, 1942, today was awarded the Military Cross.

PO. Bastable made three unsuccessful escape attempts from prisoner-of-war camps before he managed to join the Czech underground where he worked until May, 1945.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Toronto

Prices Improve Slightly With Volume Of Sales Small

TORONTO (CP)—Prices were inclined to improve a bit in late trading today on the exchange but trading volume continued small. Industrials had a minor index gain and other groups showed little net change.

Liquors, steels and utilities had a margin of gains over losses and other industrial groups were mainly steady. Foods showed a margin on the down side.

Gold stocks displayed spotty strength in late action. Armistice, Aubelle, Sylvanite, Teck Hughes, Central Patricia, East Sullivan, Negus and Sannorm were all active and higher.

In base metals the price was up ¾ for Hudson Bay.

Western oils leaned to the down side minor losses showing for Roxana, Royalite, United and Mid-Continent.

Toronto Closing Index:
20 industrials 202.45, up .32
20 golds 123.28, up .40
10 base metals 99.89, off .29
15 western oils 27.52, off .03
Total sales, 1,260,000.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)
May 17, 1946, 9 a.m.

	Bid	Asked
Aluminum pfd.	104⅞	105¼
Beatty Bros. A	47	47¼
Bell Telephone	209	210
B.A. Oil	27	27¼
B.C. Power A	34	34½
Bralorne	13¾	14
Brazilian Traction	25⅝	26
Burlington Steel	12¼	13¼
Canadian Celanese	64	68
Canadian Pacific Railway	20⅛	20¼
Canada Steamship pfd.	50	53
Con. M. and S.	94¼	95
Fanny Farmer	62¼	63
Ford Canada A	27½	28
Gatineau Power 5% pfd.	110	110½
Imperial Oil	14⅝	14¾
Imperial Tobacco	15¼	15⅝
Inter. Metal Indus. 4½% pfd.	103	103½
Do. A	33½	34
Inter. Nickel	43	44
Inter. Petroleum	18⅝	18⅞
Loblaw Groc. A	33½	34
Montreal L. H. and P.	19½	20
Noranda	66	66½
Page Hersey Tubes	32¼	33
Powell River Co.	32⅛	—
Simpson's Ltd. 4½% pfd.	107	107½
Southam Co. Ltd.	21	22¼
Steel of Canada	88½	89½
Hiram Walker G. and W.	148½	150
Geo. Weston 4½% pfd.	106½	107¼
Bank of Montreal	26	26½
Royal Bank	24⅝	25
Canadian Bank of Commerce	22⅝	23
Dominion Bank	28¼	29
Montreal Locomotive	21	21¼

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Arntfield	.35	.35½
Astoria Rouyn	.49	.49½
Aubelle	.80	.81
Aumaque	.93	.95
Aunor	5.20	5.25
Bagamac	.30	.32
Bear Exploration	1.05	1.07
Beatty	1.25	1.26
Beycourt	.65	.69
Bidgood Kirkland	.28	.29
Bobjo	.21	.22
Baycon	—	.23
Bralorne	13.75	14.00
Broulan	.54	.56
Buffalo Ankerite	6.30	6.45
Buffalo Canadian	.29	.30
Campbell Red Lake	2.80	2.90
Castle Treth.	1.60	1.65
Canadian Malartic	.75	.97
C. and E. Corp.	2.25	2.30
Central Patricia	2.35	2.40
Chesterville	1.77	1.80
Citralam	.17	.20
Coin Lake	.62	.67
Colomac	.99	1.00
Croinor	1.15	1.16
Cons. Smelters	95.00	95.50
Cochenour Willans	3.90	3.95
Conwest	1.16	1.20
Dome Mines	26.25	27.00
Donalda	1.05	1.06
Duquesne	1.39	1.40
East Malartic	2.11	2.15
East Sullivan	3.50	3.60
Elder	.80	.85
Eldona	.71	.74
Falconbridge	5.15	5.30
Francoeur	.48	.50
Frobisher	4.40	4.50
Giant Yellowknife	7.25	7.45
Gods Lake	.76	.77
Goldcrest	.50	.52
Golden Arrow	.40	.43
Golden aGte	.26	.27
Golden Man.	2.65	2.70
Harker	.21	.23
Harricana	.22	.24
Hardrock	.85	.87
Hasaga	1.90	2.00
Heva Cadillac	.50	.53
Hollinger	[illegible]	15.50
Home Oil	3.00	3.15
Homer	.23	.24
Hosco	.50	.53
Howey	.47	.48
Hudson Bay Mining	48.25	50.00
Indian Lake	.54	.58
Inspiration	.95	.99
Inter Uranium	1.41	1.42
Jacknife	.31	.32
Jason Gold	.47	.49
Joliet Quebec	.85	.88
Kerr Addison	14.00	15.75
Kirkland Lake	1.89	1.90
Labrador	7.45	7.75
Lake Duf.	.75	.80
Lakeshore	20.25	20.75
Lamaque	7.90	8.00
Lapaska	.46	.49
Leitch Gold	1.37	1.40
Little Long Lac	2.40	2.47
Lingman Lake	1.00	1.02
Louvicourt	1.61	1.65
Lynx	.33	.35
Madsen Red Lake	3.75	—
Macassa	3.75	3.80
Marcus	1.30	1.35
Malartic Goldfields	2.50	2.55
McDonald	3.50	3.55
McIntyre	67.00	68.50
McKenzie Rel Lake	1.20	1.25
McLeod Cockshutt	2.50	2.52
Moneta	.66	.68
Negus	2.48	2.50
Nipissing	3.75	4.15
Normetal	1.78	1.81
Northern Canadian	—	1.00
Noranda	66.50	67.00
Norseman	.20	.21
Okalta	.42	.45
O'Brien Gold	2.26	2.30
O'Leary Malartic	.24	.25
Omega	.31	.32
Pamour Porcupine	1.53	1.54
Pandora	.28	.30
Paymaster	.72	.75
Perron Gold	1.47	1.49
Pickle Crow	3.70	3.75
Porcupine Reef	.46	.48
Powell Rouyn	1.08	1.15
Premier Gold	2.16	2.20
Preston	2.35	2.40
Queenston	.88	.90
Quemont	18.50	19.00
Regcourt	.30	.32
San Antonio	5.15	5.20
Senator	.90	.93
Sheep Creek	1.40	1.50
Sherritt Gordon	2.36	2.39
Sigma	.13½	.14
Siscoe Gold	.80	—
Sladen Malartic	.68	.70
Steeprock	3.45	3.50
Sullivan	2.55	2.60
Sylvanite	3.30	3.35
Teck Hughes	4.40	4.45
Trans. Cont. Resources	1.10	1.12
Upper Canada	2.45	2.50
Ventures	12.50	13.00
Waite Amulet	4.25	4.30
Wasa Lake	1.25	1.30

Bonds

(By T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Dom. of Canada 4½% 1959	108.35	109.10
1st War Loan 3¼% 1952	105.10	105.85
1st Victory Loan 3% 1951	105.25	106.95
9th Victory Loan 3% 1966	104.25	105.00
Dom. of Canada 3% Perp.	103.37	104.25
British Columbia 2¾% 1966	100.00	101.00
Manitoba 4% 1950	104.25	105.75
Saskatchewan 6% 1952	112.00	114.00
City of Victoria 3¾% 1972	104.25	106.75
City of Vancouver 5% 1966	140.00	143.00
Abitibi 5% 1953	119.50	121.25
Asso. T. and T. 5½% 1955	113.65	116.50
B.C. Power 4% 1965	103.00	105.00
Calgary Power 5% 1964	105.75	107.00
C.P.R. 3½% 1951	104.50	106.25
Great Lakes Paper 5% 1955	110.50	112.50
McMillan Export 4% 1965	103.25	105.00
Massey Harris 4½% 1954	101.50	103.50
United Grain 4¼% 1958	102.50	104.00
Van. Isl. Transport 4% 1959	96.00	98.50

Vancouver

Hedley Mascot Up, Industrials And Oils Unchanged

VANCOUVER (CP) — Mines were irregular in trading on Vancouver stock exchange in the forenoon session today while oils and industrials were unchanged.

Mines up were: Congress ¼ to 15, Dentonia 1½ to 44, Wellington ¼ to 7¾ and Hedley Mascot 2 to 1.50.

Mines off were: Pioneer 5 to 5.75 and Privateer 1 to 61.

(By Mara, Bate & Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS—		
Anaconda	5	5½
Anglo-Canadian	107	110
A.P. Con.	13	16
British Dominion	31	36
C. and E. Corp.	221	—
Calmont	30	35
Commoil	38	—
Commonwealth	44	50
Foothills	165	175
Home Oil	310	315
Mercury	5¼	5½
McDougall Segur	7	7½
Mill City	6	—
Model	19¾	—
National Pete.	16	19
Okalta	45	50
Pacific Pete.	75	76
Royal Canadian	3½	4
Vanalta	14	16
Vulcan	21	—
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	19½	20
Bralorne	1390	1425
Bridge River Con.	16½	—
Do. Extension	14	16
Cariboo Gold	340	—
Congress	14¾	15
Dentonia	44½	45
George Copper	18½	20
Grandview	23	—
Grull Wihksne	16	—
Hedley Mascot	169	172
Island Mountain	175	195
Kootenay Belle	10½	—
Minto	6	6½
Pacific Nickel	16	19
Pend Oreille	350	—
Pioneer Gold	570	580
Premier Border	9¾	10
Premier Gold	210	215
Privateer	60	65
Quatsino Copper	16½	19
Red Hawk	9¾	10¼
Reeves McDonald	145	150
Reno Gold	18	20
Salmon Gold	19½	20
Sheep Creek	140	145
Silback Premier	124	135
Surf Inlet	73	78
Taylor Bridge	70	75
Wellington	7½	8
Capital Estates	890	900
Coast Breweries	315	325
Powell River	32½	—
United Distillers	22	—

New York

Canadian Pacific and Seagram Among Stocks In Losing Column

NEW YORK (AP)—An assortment of special issues continued to monopolize the bidding in today's stock market, while many leaders languished in the minus column.

Dealings slowed appreciably after midday and the price direction was far from clear near the close. While jumps of as much as 2 or more points were well distributed, numerous losers persisted.

Gains and losses were about evenly divided among Canadians at noon. Canadian Pacific had a loss of ⅛ at 18½, Distillers Seagram was off ⅜ at 112⅛, Dome Mines was plus ¼ at 24, International Nickel moved up ⅜ at 39⅝. Hiram Walker, down a at 135, registered the only large chance.

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:
30 industrials 205.56, up .39
20 rails 63.60, off .36
15 utilities 42.67, off .19
65 stocks 76.51, off .07
Total sales, 1,140,000.

(By H. A Humber Ltd.)

	Closing Bid.
Allied Chemicals	200
American Can	96
American P. and L.	18
American Tobacco	100
American Smelter	69-4
American Tel. and Tel.	194-7
American Woolen	60-3
Anaconda Copper	46-3
Atchison Topeka	109
Atlantic Refining	49
B. and O. Railway	23-7
Baldwin Locomotive	34-4
Bendix Aviation	46-4
Bethlehem Steel	106
Boeing Aircraft	27
Borden	54-6
Borg Warner	57-1
Briggs Mfg. Co.	49-3
Case, J. I.	46
Canadian Pacific Railway	18-4
Cerro de Pasco	46
C. and O. Railway	60-4
Chrysler	128-6
Con. Edison	34-4
Cont. Can	46-6
Crown Zellerbach	36-7
Crucible Steel	46-4
Curtiss Wright	7-6
Douglas Aircraft	90-6
Du Pont	211
Eastman Kodak	253
Erie Railroad	17-4
General Foods	55
General Electric	46-6
General Motors	71-2
Granby Copper	9-5
Goodrich, B. F.	78-6
Goodyear Tire	72-5
Great Northern	59-2
Great West Sugar	31
Homestake Mining	47-6
Howe Sound	47-4
Hupp Motors	8-4
Inter. Harvester	95-6
Inter. T. and T.	26-3
Inter. Nickel	39-2
Johns-Manville	154-4
Kennecott Copper	57
Loew's Theatre	39-7
Montgomery Ward	97-4
Nash Kelvinator	22
New York Central	25-2
North American Aviation	13-1
Northern Pacific	30
Packard Motors	9-5
Pan American Airways	20-2
Pennsylvania Railroad	41-2
Pepsi-Cola	36
Phillips Pete.	68-4
Pullman	65-6
Radio	15-6
Republic Steel	35-6
Safeway Stores	32-4
Schenley Distillers	82-5
Shell Union	40-4
Standard Oil New Jersey	77
Sears Roebuck	46-5
Simmons Co.	53
Southern Pacific	61-5
Southern Railway	53-6
Sperry Corp.	33
Studebaker	32-1
Texas Corp.	63-3
Texas Gulf	55
Union Oil California	28-5
Union Pacific	149-7
United Aircraft	28-2
United Gas and Improvement	28-4
U.S. Rubber	78
U.S. Steel	84-5
U.S. Smelting	70-4
Warner Bros.	51-3
Westinghouse Electric	35-3
Western Union	36-3
Woolworth	60-3
Zenith Radio	35-4
American Waterworks	25-2
Armour, Ills.	16-5
Greyhound	46-6
Youngstown Sheet	76-6

Trade Commissioner To Visit Victoria

The newly-appointed Canadian trade commissioner to South Africa, S. V. Allen, will visit Victoria May 21 and 22 to meet exporters to South Africa and heads of firms who contemplate entering that market for the first time.

Commercial attache at the Canadian Embassy in Washington for the past four years, Mr. Allen will leave for his new post in Cape Town on completion of his tour of Canada. His territory will include Cape Province, Southwest Africa, Natal, Tanganyika, Kenya, Uganda, Mauritius, Madagascar and Angola.

He will have his headquarters during his visit to Victoria at the trade commissioner's office in the Department of Trade and Industry at the Parliament Buildings.

Courtenay M.L.A. Threatens To Quit

COURTENAY, B.C. (CP)—H. J. Welch, Coalition M.L.A. for Comox, intimated at a public meeting here Thursday night that he would reign unless the Provincial government builds an eight-mile road between Cumberland and the Tsable River.

Mr. Welch said the Provincial Ministers of Mines and Public Works had assured him the road would be built, but they did not say when. Mr. Welch added that unless the road is built, there would have to be a by-election in Comox.

The M.L.A. said the highway would be needed to connect with a new coal mine planned at the Tsable River.

WINNIPEG (CP)—The Second Battalion of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, western Canada's only permanent force infantry regiment, will move to Calgary about June 15, military officials at M.D. 10 announced today.

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Reserve covering Sub-lots 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100 and 101, Subdivision of Lot 119, Esquimalt District, established for the use of the Department of National Defence, Canada, under authority of Order-in-Council No. 1585, approved November 12th, 1942, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette on November 26th, 1942, is canceled.

H. CATHCART,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands and Forests,
Victoria, B.C.,
May 8th, 1946.

Grain

CHICAGO (AP)—A weak uncertone developed in oats contracts today as country offerings of the cash grain expanded. Purchases of oats on a "to-arrive" basis increased to around 100,000 bushels. May rye dropped 5 cents for the tenth consecutive session, a new record, and No. 2 cash rye in store sold at $2.24 a bushel against $2.30 late yesterday.

Other grains were firm.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
August	198-4	198-4	198-4	198-4
November	198-4	198-4	198-4	198-4
March	198-4	198-4	198-4	198-4
Rye—				
May	232-3	232-3	232-3	232-3
July	148-4	148-4	148-4	148-4
September	148-4	148-4	148-4	148-4
December	148-4	148-4	148-4	148-4
Oats—				
August	84-2	84-2	83-2	83-2
November	83-2	83-3	81-6	81-7
March	83-4	83-5	82-2	82-2
Corn—				
January	—	—	—	141-4
March	—	—	—	141-4

Winnipeg Grain

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Rye—				
May				258
July	247	247	243-4	243-4
October	214-5	219-4	214	214-5
December	206-4	209-4	205	205-1

Cash Grain Close

Oats—No. 2 cw, 51-4, track 51-4.
Barley—No. 3 cw, 64-6, track 64-6.
Rye—No. 2 cw, 258, track 248-4.

Sidney-Steveston Service Resumed

Auto and passenger ferry service between Sidney and Steveston was resumed today by C.P.R.s B.C. Coast Service and will remain in effect until Sept. 17. All sailing times are Pacific Stadard Time.

Sailings daily, except Sunday, leave Sidney 7.15 a.m., 2.45 p.m.; arrive Steveston 10.15 a.m., 5.45 p.m.; leave Stevenston 11.15 a.m., 6.15 p.m.; arrive Sidney 2.15 p.m., 9 p.m.

Sunday sailings: Leave Sidney 7.15 a.m., arrive Steveston 10.15 a.m.; leave Steveston 11.15 a.m., arrive Sidney 2.15 p.m. Last Sunday sailing leaves Sidney 2.45 p.m., arrived Vancouver 8.30 p.m.; via Gulf Island ports, not calling at Stevenston.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

SNUB FOR SHAW?

FOUR LINES in the potpourri of subjects dealt with by an American columnist a few days ago recorded an unusual snub for George Bernard Shaw.

The one and only G. B. S. is being omitted from the biographic section of the new Encyclopaedia Britannica.

And the implied insult is being strongly protested by a group of American writers, says the columnist.

Now, from what I know of the grand old man and stormy petrel of the literary world, the omission won't cause him half as much worry as it evidently does to his U.S. admirers.

With his mordant sense of humor, he probably looks upon it as a compliment—as recognition that he is in a class by himself.

REASON OBSCURE

I DON'T KNOW if the Encyclopaedia compilers have replied to the writers' protest, giving their reasons for the omission.

But whatever those may be, and however regrettable their action in the eyes of some, I think the fame of G. B. S. is wide enough to withstand the implied slight.

Although at the same time I agree with the U.S. literary coterie in feeling that no roster of celebrities can be called complete which does not include Shaw—if only for the sake of its readers.

Throughout his 90 years of life he has kept himself in the limelight—both with his brilliant satirical writings and with his biting tongue-lashings at men and things.

Consequently, he has made many enemies among people who don't like to have their pet foibles or their particular "ideolatries" lampooned.

As well as among those who resent anyone who climbs out of the dull rut of mediocrity to bask in the sun of world renown.

POKES AT PRIVILEGED

THE NONAGENARIAN DRAMATIST is no sentimentalist; and he loves to make jabs at those who are.

While nothing delights him more than to prod and to poke at the so-called privileged people.

For instance, in his little book, "The Crime of Imprisonment," written nearly a quarter of a century ago but just brought out again by the Philosophical Library, he prods and pokes mercilessly.

He takes the Shavian stand that the only difference between pirates and generals, cut-throats and belligerent prime ministers, is one of the degree of criminality.

And flays the public's acceptance of a code which confers imprisonment upon the poor man who steals bread, and immortality upon the financier who steals a railroad.

"FLAG-WAVING MANIACS"

AS A PROPHET, Shaw has an uncanny faculty for proving to be right in the long run, albeit most of his prophecies are gloomy ones.

I recall his reactions to the V-E Day celebrations in Britain last year, as expressed in a press interview.

When asked why he, too, didn't celebrate, he replied: "Because there is no peace in Europe yet—the worst is yet to come."

He was appalled that anyone should think he had joined what he termed the "flag-waving maniacs and idiots who think they have only to shout and a brave new world is born.

"I don't want to join the fools who are prattling away about this peace and who are celebrating as if everything is over, when in fact, perhaps the grimmest times lie ahead for all Europe," he said.

PROVED TO BE RIGHT

ONE HAS ONLY TO LOOK AT CONDITIONS throughout Europe and Asia today to realize how tragically right Shaw was.

No, any man who can command the universal attention that G. B. S. has been always able to command doesn't need to worry about a place in the Encyclopaedia. For his is already established among the immortals.

And, as I said before, he himself would probably scorn inclusion in any biographical list.

As he doubtless finds satisfaction enough in adherence to the creed enunciated in his dedication in "Man and Superman":

"This is the true joy in life, the being used for a purpose recognized by yourself as a mighty one; the being thoroughly worn out before you are thrown on the scrap heap."

Princeton-Hedley Road Bids Opened

Bids for construction of the Princeton-Hedley section of the southern trans-provincial highway were opened today in the office of Public Works Minister E. C. Carson.

Lowest tender for building the 23½-mile road was submitted by Campbell Construction Co. Ltd., which asked $599,797. Other bids were: Dawson Wade and Co. Ltd., $648,149.74; General Construction Co. Ltd., $673,931, and W. C. Arnett and Co. Ltd., $629,330.

The new stretch of road is to be built on the south side of the Similkameen River. The present highway is on the north side.

Beekeepers Meet

Vancouver Island Beekeepers' Association will meet May 22 in the City Hall for the purpose of electing officers.

Spraying of flowering trees with poison to combat the tent caterpillers, the need for adequate inspection of hives in the spring and the situation regarding the need for feed for small colonies if the demand for honey is to be properly supplied, will be discussed.

Investigate Union Of Health Services

The question of amalgamation of health services in the four municipalities of Greater Victoria is being pursued by the Union Health Board of the city and Esquimalt, Ald. J. D. Hunter, board chairman, reported after a meeting today.

Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson, medical health officer, has been instructed to investigate the whole matter and bring in a report as soon as possible.

Dr. Anderson will resign as school health officer as soon as Dr. R. A. Smillie, assistant medical health officer, arrives in Victoria to take over his duties June 1.

Miss M. Frank, school nurse, has tendered her resignation and applications are being called to replace her, Ald. Hunter said.

Councillor A. C. Wurtele of Esquimalt raised the question of how garbage floating back on to Esquimalt beaches might affect the health of the people. Ald. Hunter reported that the city public works committee had written to the towing company requesting that the contract to tow garbage out far enough so that it would not float back on any of the beaches be lived up to.

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